

Final BULLETINS

Russians Cut Odessa Railway

LONDON (AP)—The Russians announced tonight in a broadcast that they had cut the Odessa-Lwow railway, last important German line to southern Russia.

Volochisk is about 60 miles north of the Rumanian frontier. The powerful offensive of the 1st Ukrainian Army swept up more than 200 populated places, Moscow announced, including six district centres.

More than 15,000 Germans were killed on the 1st Ukrainian front Saturday and Sunday, the communique said.

Vancouver Bonus

VANCOUVER (CP)—City Council voted today to distribute bonuses amounting to \$93,000 to 3,456 of its employees earning \$3,000 a year or less. The bonuses are retroactive to Jan. 1 and range from \$5 to \$19.92 a month.

Blizzard in Manitoba

WINNIPEG (CP)—Citizens of Manitoba and northwestern Ontario were digging out of snowdrifts today following one of the winter's worst blizzards.

In many areas snow was still falling, but the weatherman promised relief by nightfall.

FO. Muskett Killed

VANCOUVER (CP)—FO. George Leslie Muskett of the R.C.A.F. was killed on active service over Germany Feb. 29, relatives here have received word. FO. Muskett was born in Victoria. Mrs. Ralph Hall of Nelson is a sister.

To Check Deferees

OTTAWA (CP)—Detailed instructions to employers in the method to be followed in making a check of all male employees before May 1 to determine whether they have complied with military call-up regulations now are being circulated. Selective Service officials said today.

\$1.45 for Wheat

OTTAWA (CP)—Trade Minister MacKinnon said today the price of Canadian wheat to all countries buying on a commercial basis from the Dominion recently has been in the neighborhood of \$1.45 a bushel, No. 1 northern, basis in store at Fort William-Port Arthur.

War Pay for R.C.M.P.

OTTAWA (CP)—Justice Minister St. Laurent announced in the Commons this afternoon that special war duty pay will be given R.C.M.P. members for one year in addition to existing pay on the basis of \$1.25 a day for officers, \$1 for N.C.O.'s, 75 cents for constables and 50 cents for special constable guards.

Turkey Stays Out, Says Cairo Report

CAIRO (AP)—Reliable Cairo sources said tonight the Turkish government had flatly refused to enter the war or grant bases to the Allies except on complete delivery of a huge volume of war materials which would require months to ship and prepare for use.

Expects Auto Boom

NEW YORK (AP)—Lt. Gen. William S. Knudsen, U.S. Army production chief, says Americans will want 12,000,000 new automobiles after the war—and will begin getting them six months after the peace.

Moscow Would Receive Finn Envoy

MOSCOW (AP)—The Soviets backed up their offer of peace terms to Finland today by reprinting foreign press comment approving their proposals, and gave rebuttals to Finnish arguments against acceptance of the terms.

While Finland's reply has not yet been received, the way apparently still is open for peace if Helsinki wishes to send a representative to Moscow.

(The Stockholm Morgenthaun indicated today Juho Paasikivi, former Finnish prime minister, who negotiated the 1940 peace, would go to Moscow to discuss Russian demands.)

Atlin Pioneer Dies

VANCOUVER (CP)—Louis Schulz, 76, pioneer resident of Atlin, B.C., and known as "King of Atlin" to residents there is dead. He came to Vancouver in 1941. He is survived by his wife and two daughters, Mrs. G. Roy Turner of Atlin, and Mrs. W. Gosse of Victoria.

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U.S. Heavies Mop Up Berlin

Canada's 2nd V.C.



Maj. Paul Triquet of the Royal 22nd Regiment, a Montserrat man, wins V.C. "For Valor" in Moro River Battle, Italy. (See story Page 2).

Vain Attacks On Anzio Beachhead Cost Nazis 24,000 Men So Far

By EDWARD KENNEDY

THE ANZIO BEACHHEAD, ITALY (AP)—German attempts to drive the Allies off this foothold south of Rome have cost them casualties totaling about 24,000, authoritative sources said today.

Of these 3,500 have been captured by Allied beachhead troops and a high percentage of the remainder were killed. Allied artillery having taken an especially heavy toll.

An officer who got back to the Allied lines after being in German hands said, "I saw German bodies piled up like cordwood while a common grave was dug for them."

SLOWED BY WEATHER

NAPLES (AP)—Allied beachhead forces have repulsed another German attack, it was announced today in a communique which said bad weather had sharply reduced operations on all fronts in Italy.

Despite continuous rain and low clouds, fighter-bombers attacked shipping off the Yugoslav coast and gun positions on the 5th Army front without loss.

Except for the one enemy attempt to plunge into the beachhead lines, ground operations were confined chiefly to routine patrolling on all fronts. Eighth Army troops threw back a minor German attempt to probe their lines.

The new German thrust against the beachhead lines came near Cisterna in the same general area where U.S. troops restored their positions Friday night after a battalion of Nazi infantry had advanced slightly.

Artillery and mortar fire scattered a small German force attempting the new drive before it could reach advance defence positions.

A German tank concentration also was dispersed by shell fire, one tank being destroyed. A small-scale thrust against the main 5th Army lines in the vicinity of Castel San Vincenzo, west of Isernia, was halted without difficulty. The enemy left his equipment when he fled.

Canadians of the 8th Army wiped out a German machine gun position and smashed an enemy truck convoy, while Indian troops repelled an assault near Osogna.

On the main 5th Army front, French forces threw back two small probing attempts south of Monte Croce.

MILLIONS ON STRIKE

AT THE ITALIAN FRONTIER (AP)—Reports reaching the Swiss frontier today estimated 3,000,000 to 6,000,000 workers were on strike in northern Italy, threatening to disrupt the whole industrial and economic organization in German-controlled Italy.

The Nazi-controlled Rome radio had denied there were strikes, but Fascist newspapers disclosed they were spreading.

In Milan and Turin, decrees were published warning workers to return to their jobs by March 8 or face the "severest" penalties, including deportation to Poland.

In Milan, where an extraordinary tribunal was convened today to help meet the situation, the Fascists were compelled to form crews to operate street cars and buses.

Deny Bulgaria Quitting

STOCKHOLM (AP)—A Sofia dispatch to the Swedish press today quoted official quarters as denying foreign reports that Bulgaria is seeking a way to quit the war.

Russians Rout 12 Nazi Divisions In Break-Through

LONDON (CP)—The Red Army swept close today to the vital Odessa-Lwow railway, main artery supplying the Germans in the Dnieper bend, in a powerful new western Ukraine drive which Moscow announced, has routed 12 Nazi divisions and liberated more than 500 communities in two days.

A Soviet communique Sunday said the Russians were battling at the approaches to the station of Volochisk on the important line, 60 miles north of the Rumanian frontier. Severing of the railway would force the Nazis to rely on poor roads and one-track railways over the Rumanian frontier, or on the sea, for supplies or retreat.

Twenty salvos from 224 guns thundered in Moscow in celebration of the new victories, announced by Premier Marshal Stalin in a special order of the day and by two Soviet communiques. Stalin disclosed Marshal Gregory K. Zhukov is commanding the 1st Ukrainian army in the drive, replacing Gen. Nikolai K. Vatutin, reported ill.

The announcement said at least 6,000 Nazis had been killed in the push, which cracked German defences on a 112-mile front and surged forward up to 31 miles. Joining with previously won positions in pre-war Poland, the new line gave the Russians a salient from Dembrowitsi in the north, southwest to Luck (Lutsk) and then southeast to Belozerkia—a line about 165 miles long.

Germans Admit Their Line Broken

The German communique Sunday admitted break-throughs and a Berlin broadcast said the Russians were attacking with at least 12 to 14 rifle divisions and three tank corps—more than 200,000 men.

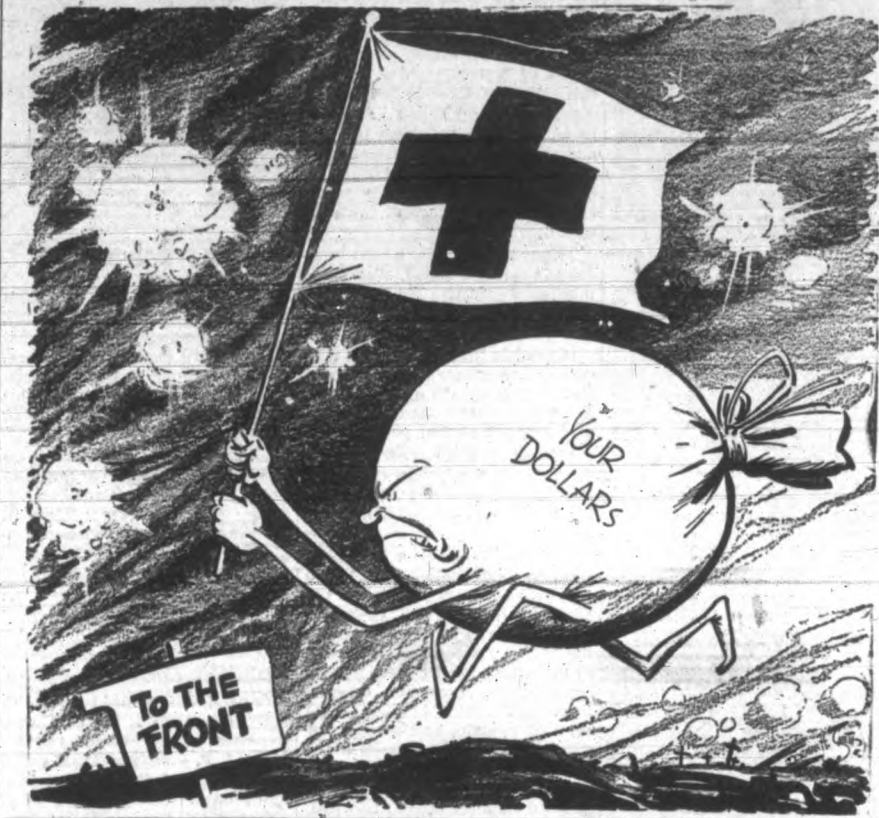
Moscow also reported Russian torpedo and attack planes had sunk two transports, aggregating 14,000 tons, and a 700-ton mine-sweeper in attacks on a German convoy in the Barents Sea and had damaged a 7,000-ton transport. The sea route is one which the Nazis could use either in withdrawing or reinforcing their divisions in northern Finland.

The great Ukrainian drive, the communique said, liberated 14 large towns as the Russians advanced southwestward from the Shepetovka area—the southern side of their westernmost salient into pre-war Poland. Advancing southward, the Russians swept down on the railroad from Shepetovka and Vishgorodok, 21 miles northeast of Ternopil.

New Flatfish Rules

VANCOUVER (CP)—New regulations covering catching of flatfish in B.C. waters will be issued when biological experts have completed investigations they now are making, fisheries department officials said today. They added that flatfish fishing, closed recently, will not reopen "for several weeks."

Your Substitute



509 Italians Die By Asphyxiation

NAPLES (AP)—A total of 509 Italian civilians were asphyxiated Saturday when the freight train on which they had hitched rides stalled in a railway tunnel in southern Italy.

Brig. Gen. Carl R. Gray of St. Paul, Minn., director-general of the Allied military railway service, described the tragedy as "one of the most regrettable as well as one of the most unusual accidents in the history of railroading."

Allied railway officials conducting an investigation said several hundred civilians apparently had climbed aboard the 45-car train in the darkness while it was halted at one of the last stations through which it passed before entering the tunnel.

Only about 50 of those caught aboard the train when it stalled on a 4 per cent grade in the tunnel escaped with their lives. The remainder apparently met a quick death as carbon monoxide generated by the engine spread through the tunnel.

All members of the crew except the fireman were among the dead. Officials said no Allied personnel was aboard the train.

12,000 Coal Miners Strike in England

LONDON (CP)—Twelve thousand Monmouthshire coal miners struck today over a wage dispute, adding another grave threat to fuel production already said to have been affected seriously by an unofficial "slowdown strike" by thousands of other pit men.

The Monmouthshire walkout stemmed from the same grievances voiced by the miners whose slowdown tactics brought action from the ministry of fuel.

The London Daily Express said that "thousands of miners in northern coalfields now are going slow because they are dissatisfied with the award," and declared the industry was facing a crisis.

The miners assert they get £5 (\$22.25) weekly under the new wage award, but that a highly skilled cutter or loader can only boost his minimum pay by two to three shillings a week with extra hard work because of low piece work rates.

Mine union leaders have condemned the slowdown strike, declaring the new wage award is "of inestimable value because it has granted the highest minimum ever paid to the coal industry" and appealing to the miners' patriotism on the eve of the opening of a new front in western Europe.

To Launch Tribal Soon

HALIFAX (CP)—The second Tribal class destroyer built here for the Canadian navy will slide down the ways in the near future, R. J. R. Nelson, general manager of the Halifax Shipyard, announced today.

'Bombing Inhuman?' 'You Asked for It, and Now You'll Get It,' British Reply

By GEORGE FERGUSON

Special Cable to Victoria Times and Winnipeg Free Press

LONDON—The Bishop of Chichester, in condemning in the House of Lords the bombing of civilians, ran full-tilt into the most violent and aroused passions in this island. But he ran also head-on into the very rational and well-thought arguments which are the real basis of the continued assaults by bomber command upon the industrial hearts of Germany.

To deal with the former argument first: It is useless to expect the people of this island ever to object to the bombing of Germany.

They have been bombed themselves. Bermondsey, one of the most bombed boroughs in London, recently raised funds for the purchase of 20 Flying Fortresses and these were brought to an airfield near the borough, and were loaded with bombs before a large and admiring crowd. Upon one of these bombs was written by a Bermondsean: "You asked for it, and now you'll get it." That ends the argument so far as the little man in the street goes.

But bomber command, from its soft-voiced, imperious boss, Air Marshal Harris, right down to the underlings, has other arguments at its command. Listen to them:

IN TARGET AREA

Bombing is called inhuman. Very well: compare it with the economic blockade. From that weapon of war no man, woman or child can escape. In the last war, many starved to death. Was that humane? But, when it comes to bombing, all anybody has to do to be safe is to get away from the target area and stay out of any potential target areas. All these are as well known to Germans as to bomber command. Let them, in Mr. Churchill's phrase, "get away to the hills and watch the home fires burning."

Bombing is called indiscriminate. Let us go into that. We personally regret very much when one of our bombs hits and destroys an historic monument. We regret it because that bomb is wasted. We have not put it where it ought to be. Bombing kills civilians. To be sure it does. But any male civilian done to death in a raid was only in the target area because German high command believed him to be more useful to the war effort there than at the front. We are not playing marbles. This is total war. Our resources in men and material are completely stretched. So are the Germans.

If we, by bombing, disrupt anything in Germany, we are damaging the Nazi war effort, whether we hit a war factory or one making civilian goods; whether we make it difficult for a precision tool worker or a tailor to get to his work; whether the home of

an SS man or a grocer is hit. Whatever we do is something which involves adjustment and delay in the German effort, for nothing non-essential is being done.

R.A.F. men discuss these issues so readily and sometimes so angrily; they leap so quickly to the defence of strategic bombing, that it was difficult not to quote the Shakespearean tag about the lady who protested too much. But I made some special inquiry as to whether or not there was any political force of weight behind the campaign of the Bishop of Chichester. The impression I have everywhere got is that this tough island people are not going to permit any relaxation in the bombing of Germany. It is the most popular part of the war. It is the way the man in the street has of giving back what he himself got. It still remains the offensive that has most captured the imagination.

And never forget what imagination it needed to create Bomber Command when Britain stood alone, with four of her dominions beside her, alone against Nazi Europe, with Russia and the United States still neutral. It was then that the big strategic bombing offensive was planned—planned probably as the only way these islanders could find of getting at the people who hated and sought to destroy them.

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Nazi Press Looks For Early Invasion

STOCKHOLM (AP)—German newspapers give the impression that "the invasion" may be expected any day now, a Swedish correspondent in Berlin said today, describing a fresh wave of anticipatory stories in the press.

A Hamburg newspaper said "one must expect invasion from many sides, and possibly some actions will only be feints designed to fool the German defences."

Another paper said the German people "know there are no walls which cannot be stormed and no single weapon that can decide the war. They know, too, that there cannot be any decision before the 'big proof,' meaning an invasion."

To Keep Eldorado

HAMILTON, Ont. (CP)—Municipal Minister Howe has stated there is no possibility that the Eldorado Mines, taken over this year by the federal government, will revert to shareholders, it was disclosed in a letter made public today from Hon. Colin Gibson, Minister of National Revenue, to Thomas A. Sutton, chairman of the committee of mine shareholders in Hamilton.

Special Targets At Reich Capital Blasted By Day

By GLADWIN HILL

LONDON (AP)—U.S. heavy bombers in "very strong forces" plowed through a wall of anti-aircraft fire today and bombed Berlin for the second time in three days.

The returning fliers told of severe fighter opposition—and the German radio pictured one of war's greatest air battles, raging over 350 miles from the Netherlands coast to Berlin.

One group of fighters said Berlin, as a whole, despite the repeated bombings of the R.A.F. and the R.C.A.F., which have made it the most bombed city in the world, looked "a long way from being flattened." And "when people say there's no more Luftwaffe you can tell them they're nuts," said a gunner, describing fighter opposition.

The fliers said several fires were left burning in Berlin. There was no indication immediately how many U.S. bombers flew to the German capital, but some of the 8th Air Force's recent operations have sent 1,000 bombers into the sky.

The first announcement said only that "targets in the Berlin district" were hit, without identifying them further or giving other details.

Quick Follow-up To Initial Raid

This surprise follow-up to Saturday's "ice-breaker" raid, by one formation of bombers, was a striking demonstration of the U.S. 8th Air Force's might, for it was the seventh operation of the heavy bombers in eight days.

Heavy fighter escorts accompanied today's formations on the round trip of more than 1,100 miles from British bases.

The German radio claimed one of the war's greatest air battles had raged over 350 miles from the Netherlands coast to Berlin.

Berlin, already seared by massive R.A.F.-R.C.A.F. night assaults, thus was brought under destructive hammer blows falling by day and night.

Presumably the American daylight attacks are aimed at precision destruction of selected targets escaping the R.A.F.-R.C.A.F. night raids.

The heavy bombers raced to Berlin as Allied medium and fighter-bombers attacked northern France—where Prime Minister Churchill has said the Germans were preparing rocket and robot plane installations—for the fifth successive day. Sunday night R.A.F. Mosquitoes attacked western Germany, without loss.

Last Wednesday was the only time in the last eight days that U.S. heavy bombers have not gone out. Successively, they bombed the Paz de Calais area, Brunswick, southwest and north-west Germany, and Sunday hit Nazi air bases in southern France. The bombers and fighters Sunday knocked down 27 enemy planes.

R.A.F. Mosquitoes kept the aerial offensive rolling Sunday night by attacking targets in western Germany a few hours after U.S. heavy bombers made their fourth daylight assault on Europe in four days.

The announcement did not disclose the specific objectives of the overnight attacks but said they were carried out without loss.

Costly Query

OTTAWA (CP)—Trades Minister MacKinnon told the Commons this afternoon it cost the government \$2,180 to obtain information asked for by Robert Fair, (N.D., Battle River, Alta.), in a question on the House's order paper.

Mr. MacKinnon said the money was paid out in salaries to government accountants, stenographers and typists who were kept busy for several weeks compiling the required information.

Smelter Gives \$10,000

TRAIL, B.C. (CP)—Consolidated Mining and Smelting Co. has donated \$10,000 to the District Patriotic Society here to be given to the Canadian Red Cross. This is in addition to the regular yearly donation made by the company to the society which co-ordinates all welfare and patriotic drives in this district.



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- Hindemith—Matthias the Painter—Philadelphia Orchestra.** Automatic Album. \$4.80
- Kallinikov—Symphony No. 1 in G Minor—Automatic Album. \$6.15**
- Best—Mefisto Waltz—Koussevitzky—Boston Symphony Orchestra.** Album. \$4.80
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Young Liberals To Meet in May

OTTAWA (CP)—A national convention of Young Liberals, with an expected attendance of 500 young men and women, will be held in Winnipeg May 29 and 30. It was announced at the head office of the National Liberal Federation today.

One of the purposes of the meeting will be to draw up a new constitution to replace that of the 20th Century Liberal Association, which will go out of existence with the convention and be replaced by a new organization.

A convention committee, on which all provinces will be represented, is being set up and the Junior branch of the Manitoba Liberal-Progressive Association is in charge of arrangements at Winnipeg.

Livestock Problems

NANAIMO (CP)—So many have been the complaints about horses and cattle roaming the streets here, poundkeeper Jo. Old now has 10 cows in the pound. But he has had to place a special watchman on duty to guard the vagrants from nocturnal hijackers. More than once Old has filled the pound by day only to have it emptied at night.

ANNOUNCEMENTS

Rummage sale, 1233 Government Street (next to Century Arts), Wednesday morning, 9 a.m. Lots of good, clean clothes. ***

Schubert Club recital, under auspices, Solazium W.A. Shrine Auditorium, March 7-8, 15 p.m. Frederick King, conductor; David Oldham, baritone; Julia Kent-Jones, violinist. Tickets 75c, 50c at Fletchers. ***

Victoria Musical Arts Society, Empress Hotel, Wednesday, March 15, at 8.30 p.m. Junior Students' recital. Guest tickets, 55 cents at Fletcher Bros. ***

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WALK DOWN AND SAVE

Montreal Man Wins Canada's 2nd V.C.; Victorian Gets D.S.O., Others Honored

By WILLIAM STEWART
LONDON (CP)—Canada's second Victoria Cross of the war was awarded today to Maj. Paul Triquet of Montreal, 36-year-old company commander of the Royal 22nd Regiment.

Triquet earned the Empire's highest award for valor during the December battle of the Moro River in Italy.

A former company sergeant-major, the wiry, mustached officer who rallied his men with cries of "Never mind the Germans, they can't shoot straight," led his company in an attack on a little group of houses making up the settlement of Casa Berardi.

His successful action was part of an operation by which the Canadian 1st Division, outflanked a strongly-held crossroads south of Ortona and pushed enemy paratroopers into a seacoast town itself.

Triquet, who has a son and daughter in Montreal, was commissioned March 18, 1941. He fought throughout the campaign in Italy.

(Canada's first V.C. of this war was awarded Oct. 2, 1942, to Lt. Col. C. C. I. Merritt of Vancouver, for valor shown in the Dieppe raid Aug. 19 of the year.)

Fifty-nine other new awards for valor in the Italian campaign have been approved by the King, the Minister of National Defence announced.

The total includes a brigadier, five lieutenant-colonels and two majors, who are awarded the Distinguished Service Order; a captain who is awarded a bar to the Military Cross; six captains in the acting rank of major; two captains, an honorary captain, three lieutenants in the acting rank of captain, and six lieutenants who have been awarded the Military Cross; two sergeants who were awarded the Distinguished Conduct Medal; two warrant officers, five sergeants, a lance-sergeant, four corporals, two lance-bombardiers, a gunner, eight privates with the acting rank of lance-corporal, a lance-corporal, a trooper, and five privates who have been awarded the Military Medal.

VICTORIAN GETS D.S.O.

A D.S.O. goes to Lt. Col. Cyril Houlton Neroutos, native of Victoria, whose parents, Capt. and Mrs. C. D. Neroutos, live at 1076 Joan Crescent. His citation reads: "Lt. Col. C. H. Neroutos of a Canadian armored regiment at San Leonardo Dec. 9, 1943, so carefully planned the details for the employment of his regiment that when advised early on the morning of Dec. 10 that Phase I of operations had not been successfully concluded, he was able, in a matter of minutes, to launch into battle 'A' Squadron with a company of infantrymen under command and with full artillery support. This action resulted in the securing of the San Leonardo bridgehead, which permitted the immediate passing of his regiment into the sector and stabilized the situation. His own HQ was early established in the town where this officer, under the most murderous mortar and artillery fire, directed the tank activity in this vital sector. The action of this officer unquestionably had a great influence on the further development of the divisional plan."

(Born in Victoria 39 years ago, Lt. Col. Neroutos attended Kingston Road School and Victoria High School, later winning a C.P.R. scholarship and attending McGill University. After two years there he was employed by the International Paint Co. and joined the army with the rank of captain in September, 1939.

He was promoted to major in March, 1941, to acting lieutenant-colonel in April, 1943, and attained that rank in full July, 1943.

His wife, Mrs. Edythe Wilson Neroutos, and three sons live at 1757 Allison Road, University Hill, Vancouver. A sister, Mrs. Winsome Blenkinsopp, is serving with the R.C.A.F. (Women's Division).

Other awards announced today

High-Ranking Briton Urged Award

By FOSTER BARCLAY
OTTAWA (CP)—Major Paul Triquet, latest winner of the Victoria Cross, highest Empire award for valor, nearly became lost in the shuffle when recommendations for decorations were being drawn up after the Moro River battle.

According to a story current at the front before I left there recently for Canada, Maj. Triquet, a Royal 22nd Regiment company commander, was listed for a lesser award, but at the last moment it was changed to the Victoria Cross on the orders of a high-ranking British officer.

Officers of the regiment like to tell about the day this British officer dropped around at regimental headquarters to chat with the commanding officer. The talk eventually got around to Triquet



LT. COL. C. H. NEROUTOS

DISTINGUISHED SERVICE ORDER

Brig. R. A. Wyman, Canadian army, Edmonton, Alta.; Lt. Col. J. P. E. Bernatchez, O.B.E., Canadian Infantry Corps, Montmagny, Que.; Lt. Col. M. P. Bogert, Canadian Infantry Corps, Montreal; Lt. Col. I. S. Johnston, Canadian Infantry Corps, Toronto; Lt. Col. J. N. Lane, Royal Canadian Artillery, Halifax; Maj. (Acting Lt. Col.) C. B. Ware, Canadian Infantry Corps, Toronto; Maj. R. F. Fraser, Royal Canadian Engineers, Toronto.

BAR TO MILITARY CROSS

Capt. N. B. Buchanan, M.C., Royal Canadian Artillery, St. Stephen, N.B.

MILITARY CROSS

Capt. (Acting Maj.) E. A. C. Amy, Canadian Armored Corps, Kentville, N.S.; Capt. (Acting Maj.) J. P. Fletcher, Royal Canadian Army Medical Corps, Toronto; Capt. (Acting Maj.) F. J. Hammond, Canadian Infantry Corps, Pembroke, Ont.; Capt. (Acting Maj.) H. A. Smith, Canadian Armored Corps, Dauphin, Man.; Capt. (Acting Maj.) J. R. Walker, Canadian Armored Corps, Three Rivers, Que.; Capt. (Acting Maj.) S. W. Thomson, Canadian Infantry Corps, Salmon Arm, B.C.; Capt. P. L. Cadegan, Royal Canadian Corps of Signals, Glace Bay, N.S.; Capt. L. I. Knowles, Canadian Armored Corps, Ottawa; Hon. Capt. J. F. Goforth, Canadian Chaplain Service, Toronto; Lieut. (Acting Capt.) J. H. Jones, Canadian Infantry Corps, Dartmouth, N.S.; Lieut. (Acting Capt.) J. C. MacNeil, Canadian Infantry Corps, New Glasgow, N.S.; Lieut. (Acting Capt.) H. A. R. Martin, Royal Canadian Artillery, Montreal; Lieut. J. L. K. Buchan, Canadian Armored Corps, Toronto; Lieut. A. J. Charbonneau, Canadian Armored Corps, Ottawa; Lieut. F. W. Hamilton, Royal Canadian Engineers, Baldr, Man.; Lieut. S. C. Kenyon, Royal Canadian Engineers, Hamilton, Ont.; Lieut. D. R. Sharpe, Canadian Infantry Corps, Woodstock, N.B.; Lieut. J. F. Wallace, Canadian Armored Corps, Barrie, Ont.

DISTINGUISHED CONDUCT MEDAL

Sgt. (A-WO2), Company Sergeant-Major) W. L. Bober, Canadian Infantry Corps, Derwent, Alta.; Sgt. R. B. Whiteside, Canadian Infantry Corps, Red Deer, Alta.

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Canada-Russia Tonight's Theme

Canada's new relationship with Soviet Russia will be the subject of the CBC weekly broadcast "Of Things to Come," which takes place tonight at 8 from the Mayfair room of Hotel Vancouver, instead of Tuesday. Morley Callaghan will be moderator. Next week's broadcast, entitled the "Rise of Asia," will take place in Victoria and be heard from the ballroom of the Empress Hotel.

Changed attitude towards Soviet Russia in many Canadian minds is one fact which has emerged from this war, according to the bulletin "Of Things to Come," published in connection with the broadcast series and distributed among study groups here who will listen in tonight.

"The first fact that must be noted is that Canada and Soviet Union are neighbors," says the bulletin. "Where once the Arctic was an impenetrable barrier and Russia was far away on the other side of Europe, we now face each other across the Pole. Steffanson, the great Arctic explorer, has shown how Soviet development in her northland and Canadian development in ours are bringing us constantly closer together. The airplanes have made it possible to have direct connection between Ottawa and Moscow."

"During the autumn of 1943, much suspicion and distrust of the Soviet has been eliminated. Britain, the U.S.S.R. and U.S.A. have come closer together than ever before. This partnership will naturally bring Canada into closer connection."

"The basis of co-operation has been set at Teheran and Moscow. In that co-operation, Canada plays its part. We have an ambassador in Moscow. We are fellow-members of the United Nations. Our war aid flows constantly to the Soviet Union. Previously we have seen the special part we play in the Anglo-American world. We are also neighbors across the Arctic with the Soviet Union. We can play our part in keeping the co-operation alive between those powers. Already in our small way we have shown our feeling towards the U.S.S.R. by our response to the Canadian Aid to Russia Fund, in one year \$3,000,000."

Red Cross Drive Shows Improvement

TORONTO (CP)—A slight improvement in subscriptions across Canada was noted in the week-end total for the Canadian Red Cross national appeal for \$10,000,000, figures released at headquarters here today showing returns of \$2,682,302, or 27 per cent of the quota. The campaign, which opened a week ago today, will end March 15.

Provincial reports with objectives in brackets included Alberta, \$145,000 (\$400,000), 36 per cent; British Columbia, \$289,367 (\$800,000), 35 per cent; Manitoba, \$167,000 (\$600,000), 28 per cent; Ontario, \$1,077,374 (\$5,000,000), 21 per cent; Saskatchewan, \$70,000 (\$350,000), 20 per cent.

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Among those attending were Rear-Admiral V. G. Brodeur, C.B.E., R.C.N., Commanding Officer, Pacific Coast, and Mrs. Brodeur.

Cmdr. G. S. Windeyer, R.C.N., received the Distinguished Service Order. The citation said: "He was commanding officer of H.M.C.S. Wetaskiwin when she joined in a hunt with H.M.C.S. Skeena which resulted in the destruction of an enemy U-boat. The successful conclusion of this action was only achieved by the cool and careful handling of the two ships throughout the whole of the attack which lasted four hours. The skilful handling of his ship by this officer contributed to a large degree to the destruction of the enemy U-boat."

Cmdr. G. O. Baugh, N.C.N.R., received the Order of the British Empire. His citation said: "This officer has consistently performed invaluable work in command of H.M.C. ships and as senior officer of an escort group. His leadership and cheerfulness have been an inspiration to those serving under his command."

Telegraphist John Driver Campbell, R.C.N., received the British Empire Medal, for displaying courage and outstanding devotion to duty in attempting to transmit a message while H.M.C.S. Surf, in sinking condition, was pounding heavily on the rocks and remained at his post although the order to abandon ship had been given."

Skipper Coxswain W. J. Thomas, R.C.N.R. (F.R.) received the British Empire Medal for giving "loyal service in command of Fishermen Reserve vessels since the outbreak of hostilities. His able and cheerful compliance with all orders and his intimate knowledge of the area in which his duties were carried out, have been of great value to the armed services."

Master-at-Arms Samuel James Kennard, R.C.N., received the British Empire Medal. "His whole-hearted devotion to duty, discipline and tact, has been an excellent example to all under him," the citation said.

Cmdr. (Act. Capt.) V. P. Alleyne, R.C.N., who has been awarded the O.B.E., is at present on sick leave and did not attend. The Lieutenant-Governor plans to visit the commander at his home at a later date, to invest him with the order. The citation reads: "This officer showed great zeal and devotion to duty as commodore of convoys over a period of nearly two years, during which time convoys under his command were heavily attacked. Cmdr. Alleyne was commodore of the first convoy sailing from North America to the United Kingdom in September, 1939."

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Improve P-40
BUFFALO, N.Y. (AP)—Production of an improved version of the P-40 Warhawk fighter, to be known as the P-40N, is announced by Burdette S. Wright, vice-president of the Curtiss-Wright Corporation, airplane division. It has a speed of more than 350 miles per hour, a ceiling of 30,000 feet and a range of approximately 1,000 miles, Wright added.

Epidemic Moving West
VANCOUVER (CP)—Dr. Stuart Murray, Vancouver medical health officer, warned today that scarlet fever is sweeping westward from Quebec.

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WASHINGTON (AP)—The Federal Bureau of Investigation estimated today 1,381,681 major crimes were committed in the U.S. in 1943, with this as an average day: Criminal homicides, 27; rapes, 29; other felonious assaults, 136; robberies, 124; burglaries, 745; larcenies, 2,204; auto thefts, 514.

Postwar Jobs, Debt, Taxation Chief U.S. Worries

PRINCETON, N.J. — If the John Does and Mary Smiths of the country could attend a White House press conference and had the privilege of putting any question they wished to President Roosevelt, on subjects apart from the war, the most frequently asked questions would deal with postwar jobs and with taxes.

The U.S. Gallup Poll invited an accurate cross-section representing all segments of American life to tell what questions they would like to ask the President.

The results of the survey provide an index to the present worries of the people and the direction of thinking about home-front problems.

Leaving aside purely military questions, the subject which the greatest number of voters wanted to ask the President about was postwar jobs, as stated in these words:

"How will we avoid a depression after the war? Will there be jobs for all of us? What is being done to make sure that people won't have to go on relief again?"

Those questions are typical of hundreds dealing with postwar economic problems.

The second main worry today

—public finances and taxation—brings forth such questions as the following:

"Why are the tax forms so complicated? How long will we have to go on paying high taxes? Why is so much money being wasted by our government on silly things that don't help the war? How are we going to meet all the national debt in the future? How much debt can this country stand? With so much debt, is our money going to be worth much after the war? Are we going to have inflation?"

The next major worry revealed in the survey concerns the status of the farmer. The questions, mostly asked by farmers themselves, include: "Why doesn't the farmer get a higher price for his crops? Why does the government help labor more than it helps farmers? What is being done about the shortage of farm help? Why do we have to have ceiling on farm prices?"

Next come questions about labor unions and strikes, followed by direct questions as to the President's intentions concerning a fourth term.

Many other topics are included among the questions asked by the public—"How would a National Service law work? Why is there so much fooling around with the soldier vote bill? How long will we have rationing? Why are so many fathers being drafted?"

Today's WAR NEWS Analysis

By DE WITT MACKENZIE
Associated Press War Analyst

Few recent war transactions have created greater international speculation than the unexplained announcement that the Anglo-American Allies are turning one-third of the Italian navy over to Russia.

The curiosity of Hitler's soothsayers, among others, is at white heat. Especially concerned, of course, are the Italians, and Premier Badoglio has expressed pained surprise that his government must be advised of the deal.

Well, one can understand the marshal is feeling hurt, but the small ground for surprise in his shrewd mind. While the Allies hope to see Italy prosperous and happy after the war, she should understand thoroughly that she's going to pay for her aggression.

Part of the price will be military impotence. Loss of her once fine navy is one of the penalties for helping cause millions of deaths and untold destruction.

The importance of this deal doesn't lie so much in the question of what the Soviet intends to do with the ships as in these two aspects of the situation. (1) The fact that the Italian navy is being split up, and (2) that it's being divided among the Allies.

apparently on the basis of share and share alike. Germany and Japan can see in this a preview of what's going to happen to their own navies, armies and air forces.

However, there's something even bigger than that involved in this disposition of the Italian fleet. It's a symbol of solidarity among the three dominant powers—Britain, the U.S. and Russia—a unity on which the peace of the world most certainly depends.

DNE, the German news and propaganda agency, professes to see in this move a proof of the "devoted exactness with which the Anglo-Americans try to satisfy the Kremlin." That is a purposely nasty way of saying something which is a partial truth.

It isn't a question of "satisfying" the Kremlin. It's a matter of adjusting questions on the basis of one for all and all for one. Each of the Allies is, according to his own talents, pulling his weight in the war. Each, therefore, is entitled to equal consideration with the rest.

Russia doesn't happen to be doing much on the seas, but she is waging mighty war on land. Therefore if she has any use for part of the Italian fleet, she gets it. Next time it may be Russia who will make a concession to one or both of the other major Allies.

Employment Swing Lowers School Totals in Canada

By JACK WILLIAMS

OTTAWA (CP)—Increased employment of boys and girls, resulting from wartime labor needs, has led to a reduction in school attendance, particularly in the higher grades, a Canadian Press survey reveals.

In only one province, Quebec, is an upward trend in school attendance reported, and that followed the introduction of compulsory education in the present school year.

Nova Scotia reported a steady drop in high school attendance since the outbreak of war, with the registration for the present school year slightly below last year.

In New Brunswick, where officials described the trend in attendance as "downward," some rural schools touched so small an attendance figure that they have been closed.

In general, the reductions have been more apparent in urban centres than in rural communities, and are particularly evident in districts where there has been intensified industrial activity as a result of the war.

In Ontario, there was a slight decrease this year as compared with last among pupils from 14 to 16 years, with the largest percentage in cities.

The condition also was reflected in Manitoba and in Saskatchewan where officials said a general reduction in the province's population was another factor contributing to the empty school desks.

Figures for the present school year will not be compiled for some months, but in British Columbia the total school attendance dropped last year and further reductions are anticipated this year with the division between rural and urban communities fairly even.

British, U.S. Armies Exchange Personnel

LONDON (CP)—Britain and the U.S. have begun a unique soldier-exchange plan in preparing troops for the invasion. So the Allies may better understand each other, British officers and men are living and training with American units and Americans are assigned to British forces. Under the plan, exchange soldiers will be rotated every few weeks.

Insane Engineer Takes 200 On Train For Nightmare Trip

LONDON (CP-Reuters)—Two hundred passengers were given a nightmare trip Sunday night when the engineer of a British train went insane, beat off efforts to keep him from the controls and carried his train past danger signals on a seven-mile stretch of track.

"Clear all lines," flashed a message to signalmen at 13 stations on the Bath-Salisbury line: "Driver of 7.10 p.m. train from Bristol gone crazy."

The engineer apparently lost his mind in the Bath station. He suddenly pulled open the throttle and took the train out without many passengers. Those aboard were thrown off their feet as the train lurched along in erratic bursts of speed.

Alarm spread when railway men at some stations were heard shouting for the engineer to stop. As the train sped through darkness the fireman fought desperately to wrest the controls from the madman's hands. Eventually he threw the brake, bringing the train to a jolting stop.

The engineer could not be induced to leave the cab and passengers who flocked forward from the cars to investigate were kept at bay with a pick.

It took five men to overpower him. The train arrived at Salisbury two hours late. The engineer was taken to a mental home.

Nazi General Staff Gives Up This War; Plans for Next One

By ERNEST AGNEW

LONDON (AP)—The German general staff now is so convinced Germany has lost the war that it already is planning another war within 25 years in which the United States will be the principal opponent, according to the French underground newspaper Combat as quoted in the London Sunday Chronicle.

A preliminary memorandum for the next war has been drafted for the general staff by Gen. Otto von Stuepnagel, military governor of France and before 1939 chief of the German intelligence service, the paper reported.

Combat, printed at Algiers, presented these supposed excerpts from Stuepnagel's 60-page report, the Chronicle said: "Germany, in the years before the next war, will wear out her enemies by her tactics in negotiation and initiate a propaganda campaign appealing to the humanitarian sentiments and sympathy of the world."

"Germany confused the principal adversary with the subsidiary adversary—because she wanted to conquer France instead of throwing herself from the beginning of June, 1940, against England with all her available forces."

"In the next world war, which should take place within 25 years . . . the principal adversary will be the United States and the entire effort must be concentrated against that country from the beginning."

"We shall be wrong if we try to conquer Russia while leaving intact American industrial production."

6-Tonners Felt At Great Heights

LONDON (CP-Reuters)—The blast from Britain's new "super-bomb" is so great that it rocks aircraft several thousand feet in the sky, an R.A.F. pilot related here Sunday. That was his experience after dropping one on the Gnome-Rhone engine, works at Limoges Feb. 8.

"Even at the height of many thousands of feet the blast is sufficient to rock aircraft," he said. "The whole sky is lit up as through you have created a new sun. The blast seems to linger for a while and spread out."

"After I had dropped a 12,000-pound on the Gnome-Rhone works, I went out to reconnoitre and take photographs. All I can say is that the damage from one of these new bombs looks like a concentrated attack of a number of aircraft with the small-type bombs we used in the early days of the war."

Sees Few Tourists Using Alaska Highway

TORONTO (CP)—Dr. Charles Camsell, federal deputy mines and resources minister, believes it is not so sure the Alaska Highway will become an immediate postwar artery for tourist travel. He told the Royal Canadian Institute the Highway as now constituted is not the type to which North American motorists have become accustomed.

He predicted the Mackenzie and Yukon Rivers would offer considerable postwar tourist appeal. Opening of the far north to air and automobile travel would provide new vistas to tourists.



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OSSINGEN, N.Y. (AP)—Louis (Lepke) Buchalter, arch-criminal and one-time United States public enemy number one who held up-challenged away over an empire of lawlessness, was executed in Sing Sing Prison Saturday night.

Murder Inc., of which he was undisputed boss, had been held responsible for the killing of some 80 persons. But "Judge Louie," whose particular pride always had been that he could beat any rap, died in the electric chair for the slaying of an obscure Brooklyn candy merchant, Joseph Rosen, in 1936.

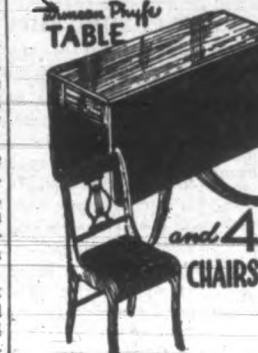
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POSTERITY WOULD APPROVE

TO THOSE RESPONSIBLE FOR THE conduct of the war, especially that phase of it in which thousands of Canadians are engaged in Italy, Cardinal Villeneuve has issued an appeal, on his own and on behalf of the Roman Catholic archbishops and bishops of the Dominion, a part of which reads as follows:

"We conjure them to spare the city of Rome, the glory of our civilization, the home of art and culture, the centre of Christianity, which 20 centuries of history have respected and venerated even to proclaiming it the Eternal City. We eagerly invite not only our Catholic brethren but all those as well who cannot remain indifferent to the fate of Rome, to join prayers and their endeavors to our own, so that the nations at war 'dare' not, in devastating that city, holy amongst all cities, inflict upon Christianity a grief and upon themselves a wrong no victory would ever redeem in the eyes of posterity."

Ecclesiastics of major and minor degree in Britain continue to ponder the policy of British and American bomber commands. All but a handful of men in holy orders evidently recognize the important fact that this is essentially a military problem and that vestry decisions or resolutions passed at public meetings merely reflect a point of view to which the war's strategists cannot afford to pay much attention. What a mess they would make of things if they did!

The latest contribution to this controversy in Britain came last week from Bishop Batty of Fulham, who is also Anglican Bishop of Northern and Central Europe, and he favors "without any hesitation" the bombing and destruction of places of military necessity to shorten the war and save lives. He put it this way: "I am convinced that while the war goes on we must use every weapon in our power to bring the time nearer when the war shall cease; it is quite untrue the Allies are deliberately adopting a policy of vandalism." And Bishop Batty thinks the attack on Mount Cassino monastery in Italy "has been a warning to the Germans that we will not allow them any military advantage on the ground of artistic claims."

In the case of the monastery, it should be recalled, the Allies acted upon the provisions of an order which General Dwight Eisenhower issued on Dec. 29, 1943, reading in part as follows:

"We are fighting in a country rich in monuments which illustrate the growth of the civilization which is ours. We are bound to respect these monuments so far as we allow. If we have to choose between destroying a famous building and sacrificing our own men, then our men's lives count infinitely more, and the buildings must go."

That the Nazis were using the 1,400-year-old Benedictine abbey as an artillery observation post has been proven beyond peradventure. And on this point Collier's war correspondent Frank Gervasi reported having seen 800 Americans "go out and 24 come back, because the Germans could see every move and turn their fire on them."

Regardless, therefore, of what Cardinal Villeneuve may say at a distance of 4,000 miles from the theatre of war in which General Sir Henry Maitland Wilson now is in supreme charge, if the Germans insist on defending the Eternal City, it may go the same way as the Benedictine monastery on Mount Cassino. Human life, as General Eisenhower pointed out so simply, comes before inanimate objects. How the final victory over the forces of evil—the winning of which may demand the destruction of "the home of art and culture"—will appear "in the eyes of posterity" is a calculation which need not seriously worry those Canadians and others fighting for their lives and their ideals in the Italian peninsula.

FINLAND NEAR DECISION?

ALTHOUGH THERE IS AS YET NO official confirmation that Mr. Juho Paasikivi has left Helsinki for Moscow to negotiate the terms of an armistice for Finland, it is highly probable that the Soviet government's warning against further delay in negotiations has had its effect on Finnish authorities. And the Stockholm newspaper Dagens Nyheter suggests editorially today that Paasikivi has conceivably won the authority of the Finnish regime to go to the Russian capital because he is personally in good favor with the Soviets and because, of course, he was successful in winning tolerably reasonable terms after the conflict in 1940. It is also pointed out that the Finns "should have known from the beginning that the Russians would demand in return of the Germans in Finland"—a demand which the Nazi-dominated state, incidentally, is especially reluctant to accept.

The outcome of pourparlers between Mr. Paasikivi and the authorities at Moscow would have an important bearing on the future conduct and progress of the war in numerous vital aspects. Nobody supposes that six or seven divisions of Nazi soldiery in Finland would calmly lay down their arms merely because Finland desired and intended to restore peaceful relations with the Soviet Union and Great Britain. But this among other important conditions obviously must be complied with before Russia could seriously consider an armistice. The fact that the Finns object to the entrance of Red Army troops into their country, of course, is a delicate consideration. If there shall be no peace as a result of the purported imminent visit of the Finnish envoy

to Moscow, the forces of the Soviet will strive to obtain by force what might be won by negotiation. And none supposes that the government at Helsinki is blind to the implications of this certainty.

With Finland out of the war, however, conditions in two or three of the Balkan states might immediately undergo a radical change. To be sure, German troops in Rumania, Hungary and Bulgaria present the same difficulty to the governments of those countries as they do to the ministry in Helsinki. Even so, a determined resolve by these associate partners of the Axis to cut themselves loose from the conflict would impose upon the oligarchy at Berlin a problem of the first magnitude, one not easily resolved by a new reign of terror. And even Turkey—whose Prime Minister is scheduled to make a statement on Anglo-Turkish relations today—might reconsider her position were Finland to reach an agreement with Russia.

EVERYONE THIS TIME

MORE THAN HALF OF VICTORIA'S quota of \$100,000 has been subscribed in the first week of the Red Cross campaign. The response of the public has been almost unprecedentedly spontaneous and generous. The report of the canvassers is that "everyone wants to give this time." It is a most happy condition, for in the words of the campaign slogan, "The Need Grows as Victory Nears." It reflects the depth of the public's confidence in the Red Cross and an appreciation of the importance of the work the organization has assumed in these days of war.

Of this work it may be appropriate to recall that since the beginning of the war, the Canadian Red Cross has spent more than \$36,273,600 on its various activities. Everyone's heart has been touched by the great service rendered to Canadian and British prisoners of war, the unbroken stream of comforts provided for the armed forces stationed abroad, and the aid rendered to British bomb victims and to Allied Red Cross Societies. Of the \$10,000,000 being raised for all Canada in the present campaign, incidentally, more than two-thirds will be spent on direct services to Canadian and British troops. For food parcels to Canadian and British prisoners of war in Europe and the Far East, \$5,500,000 will be required. For hospital supplies and comforts for the armed forces and civilians, \$3,000,000. For aid to Allied Red Cross societies, \$1,000,000. For contingencies and grants, including disaster relief, \$1,600,000. For the blood donor service, \$750,000. For reserve and peace-time requirements, \$1,000,000.

"Thank God for the Red Cross," say our boys in enemy prison camps, and the victims of war's destruction whose distress is relieved through this greatest of all humanitarian agencies. It is only by the contributions that are now flowing in that the noble work can be carried on. Victoria may be counted on to continue its generous response during the remainder of the campaign. Let us express our thanks to the Red Cross by seeing to it that our quota is heavily oversubscribed. Nothing less is worthy of us.

A CIVIL SERVICE COUNCIL

FINANCE MINISTER ISLEY HAS announced the creation of a National Joint Council for the civil service of Canada. Members of the federal service for years have been asking for some such body before which they would have the right to be heard with respect to the conditions under which they are employed. Mr. Isley's action now, in setting up the machinery in accordance with the requests of the civil servants, marks an advance in the progress of public service relations.

The council is to consist of six representatives of the organized federal civil service groups, including the Federation and the Association, and six representatives nominated by the Treasury Board, including one to speak for the Civil Service Commission. The chairman will be a Treasury representative. The council's functions will be advisory only. However, as Mr. Isley explained, if both sides take their responsibilities seriously and endeavor to make the new organization a means of promoting better understanding, improved morale and greater efficiency, there will be no doubt that recommendations of the council will carry great weight with the Treasury Board and the Civil Service Commission.

The right to be heard with respect to the conditions under which they are employed has been enforced by statute in the case of most private employees. Extension of the principle to public employees is logical. It should work to remove some of the dissatisfactions and inequities of which we hear constantly in the federal service. More than ever, in this era of widening government controls, is a contented and smooth-functioning civil service essential to the common weal.

NOTES

Nobody can save his life by being careful. He can only prolong it and postpone the inevitable.

The time to start worrying, if any, is when your friends stop telling you you are looking older.

Soldiers and sailors who understand have only one fear—that politicians will again stop them before the job is finished.

With a starting bid of \$5,000,000, the manuscript of Professor Einstein's theory of relativity, first published in 1905, is to be auctioned for war bonds in Kansas City. It will go to the Library of Congress as the gift from that city, bearing the name of the high bidder. The successful person does not have to master the theory. He simply must understand the necessity of backing the attack with bonds.

Loose Ends

A PRAYER FOR MY SWEETHEART

LET HER BE HAPPY; sprinkle the skies with stars for her, and let the soft night winds lull her sweetly to slumber. But even in the midst of her happiness, keep a part of her heart for me alone; let a small, sweet ache be there to let her know that wherever she may go, or whatever she may do, my heart is with her.

Grant her courage that she may not fear for those of hers who have gone forth to war; and so she will stand unafraid before the muffled rumble of battle. Bless her with compassion for all the peoples who struggle and die seeking a vision beyond the hills, following a dream that has no ending.

Open her eyes anew to the fresh flush of dawn, the lullaby of rain, the dim arch of fire against the evening sky—and all the other beauties of nature that heal and caress the tired mind. Let her see the glory that lies about her in the common things of life—and to treasure those bits of rich memories against the dark days that try the soul.

Dear Lord—last of all, grant her deep and abiding faith in the eternal power above that manifests itself in the roguish smiles of an infant, the trusting serenity of old age, the quick, warm pain of the lovers' kiss, and the symmetrical perfection of the snowflake's heart.

All this I ask, Lord, because vast reaches of strange, stormy seas and countless unknown mountains lie between me and the girl I love. She is alone, and I would that you should guide her safely until we meet again.

W. O. ROBERT J. HOHMAN.
Somewhere in the Pacific.

OF OTHER DAYS

MEMORIES of one of Canada's most colorful eras are recalled by the Halifax Herald with the death in Vancouver of Alexander R. Mann. Not so famous as his brother, Sir Donald, who, in association with Sir William McKenzie, built the "bits and pieces" later to be bundled into the Canadian Northern, Alexander Mann, to judge by his biography, laid rails and roadbed visioned by the other two and less often made the front pages of the newspapers.

All three started their careers building sections of the Canadian Pacific Railway. Wisdom seems to have gone out the window when millions rushed into the fertile prairies; each district wanted a railway and, as Canadian taxpayers have reason to know, a surprising number had their wishes fulfilled.

The financial burdens imposed by politicians, promoters and contractors of that day were tremendous—many remain to this day.

At the same time, many projects that for years seemed like total-unnecessary-run-riot have since proved their usefulness. It may be that without them development of the west would have lagged. Probably the price was too high. At least, a lesson seems to have been learned. Witness the conservative development of the air systems, surely a fertile field for the aggressiveness and speculation of "McKenzies-and-Manns."

Nevertheless, judgment of such men is less harsh today than it was, say, 25 years ago when the government had to salvage the Canadian Northern. They were the products of a system and their day and gave the country no little excitement and entertainment . . . if usually on a land-bonus-cash-subsidy-per-mile basis.

PROVINCIAL ELECTIONS PROSPECTS

From Stratford Beacon-Herald
In Saskatchewan the normal term of the existing Legislature has already elapsed. It expired on June 8, 1943, but a year's extension was voted.
In Quebec the five-year term of the Legislature will expire on Oct. 25, 1944.
In New Brunswick also an election looms distinctly over the horizon of 1944. The last election was on Nov. 20, 1939, and, therefore, the normal term will end on Jan. 20, 1945.
In the province of Alberta, where Social Credit is in the saddle, a provincial election cannot be delayed beyond March, 1945, unless special legislation is provided for extension.
British Columbia will be due for an election not later than the 21st of October, 1946. Manitoba's Legislature will reach the end of its stipulated term on April 21, 1946. Nova Scotia can hang on until Oct. 28, 1946.

In Ontario and Prince Edward Island the Legislatures are only months old—Ontario having voted in August, 1943, and P.E.I. in September last. However, the touch-and-go situation in Ontario, where Premier Drew lacks an over-all majority, may precipitate another election at any time after the new government faces the House late in February.

THE TREE

All along the wall
Of the tall church, the tall
Yellow-green tree of wind-blown weeping willow
Streamed out upon the air
Like a young mermaid's hair
Across the sun-warmed rock of her weedy pillow.

How had we once been drawn
By such a sight, in a dawn
Before our eyes could dim or our heart could harden!
O it was water-bright,
It was like green drops of light,
It was like the jewel trees of Aladdin's garden!

Green torch, green sword, green tree,
Strike to the heart of me—
Cleave me, if need be, as the lightning and thunder:
Better a heart that aches,
Better a heart that breaks,
Than a heart sealed to beauty and glory and wonder.

AUDREY ALEXANDRA BROWN.

Music....

By IRIS SMALLWOOD

CATHEDRAL CHOIRMASTER TO TEACH OAK BAY SCHOOLS

Ernest Willoughby, new organist and choral conductor of Christ Church Cathedral, arrived in Victoria last week with his wife to take up residence here.

The ex-choirmaster of Bryn Mawr College, Penn., who is also an accomplished organist, composer of church works and band-leader, wasted no time once he arrived. He rehearsed the cathedral choir the day after his arrival, and played at morning and evening services at Christ Church on Sunday.

In addition to his church duties, Mr. Willoughby will supervise music in Oak Bay High School, Willows and Monterey schools.

DRURY PRYCE DIES

Drury Pryce, the founder and conductor of the first Victoria Orchestral Society, died in Ottawa Feb. 29. He will be remembered here by many lovers of music for his keen and active interest both in individual artists and musical groups. He was a violinist of merit, and went to Ottawa some years ago to supervise the teaching of music in the schools.

VIOLINIST TO PLAY

Julia Kent-Jones, violinist, and David Oldham, baritone, will highlight the concert to be given by the Schubert Club in the Shrine Auditorium March 7. The affair will be under the patronage of Lieutenant-Governor and Mrs. Woodward and Premier and Mrs. John Hart. It is sponsored by the Women's Auxiliary to Queen Alexandra Solarium.

The "Symphonic Espagnole" by Laio is having quite a run in Victoria this winter, and will be the

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sole number by Miss Kent-Jones. So far, none of the artists who have attempted this has played all five movements, probably because the movement marked "Intermezzo," at least, is very long and detracts from the vigorous closing "Rondo." Miss Kent-Jones, who is a member of the Victoria Symphony Orchestra, will play the lovely "Allegro," "Scherzando" and "Andante."

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A Tip for Today
This time it's really for the youngsters. To keep the blades of your skates sharp, don't walk on bare or sandal sidewalks on route to the rink; wipe off blades after skating, to prevent rust, and use guards to avoid sliding the edges from bumping together. You need good sharp blades for speed, for quick, sure stops and to keep you on your feet.

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Living Cost Index Declines Slightly

OTTAWA (CP)—The cost-of-living index declined fractionally from 119 at Jan. 3 to 118.9 on Feb. 1, the Dominion Bureau of Statistics reported today. The index is based on 100 for the

period 1935-1939 and at its latest point represents a wartime increase of 18 per cent.

Cost-of-living bonuses now are merged with basic wage rates and fluctuations in the index are not reflected in wages.

"The decline from January was due to foods, with fuel and light, clothing and miscellaneous items all recording small advances," the bureau reported.

"The food index fell from 131.5 for January to 130.9 for February, as increases for fresh vegetables only partially offset further declines in eggs process. Changes in other food prices were slight."

Higher coal prices in eastern

Canada advanced the fuel and lighting index from 112.7 to 113. Small changes in women's wear and piece goods increased the clothing index from 121.1 to 121.3, while the miscellaneous group advanced from 108.9 to 109.1 due to a rise in the health maintenance section and to an increase in the periodicals index. Rentals remained at 111.9 and home furnishings and services at 118.4.

W.A. to the Elks held a meeting in the lodge room when a report on the party given for the Children's Orphanage by the Elks, assisted by the W.A., was given. Next meeting March 23.

Tories Map Program For Farms, Industry For Postwar Period

OTTAWA (GP)—Recommendations on party policy which received approval at the annual meeting of the Dominion Progressive Conservative Association Friday and Saturday have been sent on to John Bracken, national Progressive Conservative leader.

Regarded as supplementing the platform adopted by the party at its Winnipeg convention last year, the latest recommendations call for full-scale agricultural production, maintenance of the upward trend in wages and living conditions in the period of conversion to peacetime economy, and immediate action and announcement of postwar projects by federal, provincial and municipal authorities.

Other recommendations:

1. Provision of mustering-out pay for members of the armed forces on a "generous scale" in addition to adequate clothing allowance.

2. Restrictions requiring permission from federal authorities before an individual or corporation can become a party to an international cartel.

3. Organization of a board of livestock commissioners.

4. Increased emphasis on rural health services.

BANK FOR FARMERS

5. Consideration of the establishment of a central farm bank to operate in co-operation with private lending institutions.

6. General adoption by industry of the principle of vacations with pay.

7. Action to prevent family allowances becoming a substitute for adequate wages.

8. Restriction of the ownership and control of flying fields to Canadian interests and the withholding of new licenses for permanent air routes until after the war.

Amendment of tax regulations to stimulate mining.

Policy recommendations were placed before the Dominion Association meeting, which was held in camera, in the report of the policy committee.

OFFICERS NAMED

Following a meeting of the executive, P. D. McArthur of Howick, Que., newly-elected president, announced the appointment of A. E. Honeywell, Ottawa solicitor, as secretary of the Dominion Association. Mr. Honeywell succeeds R. A. Bell of Ottawa, now national director.

Members of the young Progressive Conservative Association of Canada at their annual meeting Saturday elected Ned Stewart of Smith's Falls, Ont., president, succeeding Douglas McMynn of Penticton, B.C.

W.D.'s On West Coast Chart Plane Flights

A WEST COAST R.C.A.F. STATION (CP)—There's no better exercise in concentration than the work done by members of the R.C.A.F. Women's Division serving as operations room clerks.

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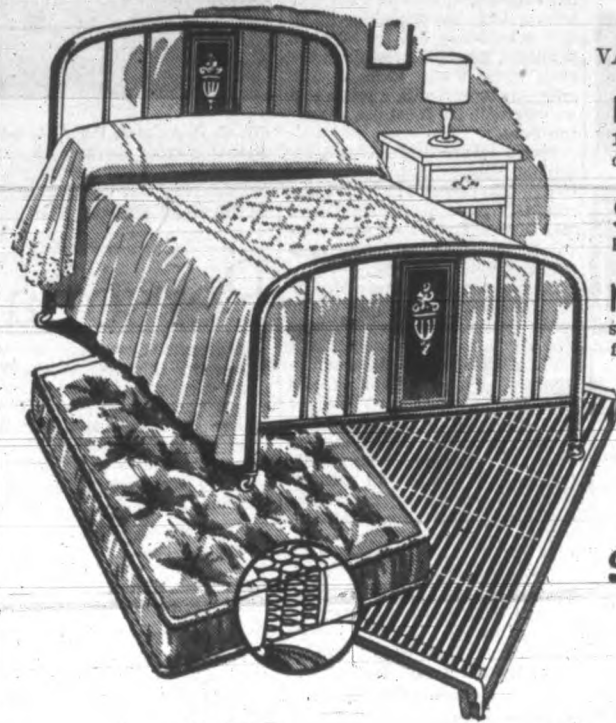
Forty members of the U.B.C. Alumni Association were entertained at a progressive games party Saturday evening at the homes of Mr. and Mrs. Harry Gilliland, 840 Richmond Road, and Mr. and Mrs. Robert Wallace, 830 Richmond Road. The guests went from house to house during the evening playing games in groups of four, with Mrs. Lewis, Clark and Mrs. C. W. Lauder winning prizes for the best scores. Refreshments were served later at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Gilliland, under the convenship of Mrs. Hartley Sargent.

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Parents and friends of the Brownies attended the party, also the Second West Pack under Mrs. Ashley Cooper, and the Third West Pack with Mrs. F. Hesseltime.

A program was presented by the children, after which tea was served, with the three-tier birthday cake being cut by Mrs. R. Williams, the first Brownie in the pack when it was formed. The cake was topped with a totem and an owl, with 24 Brownies around the base.

Sixers Maureen MacKenzie, Josephine Skinner, Robin Grant and Grace Isherwood lighted the candles. Brownies Carol Dyson and Dianne Tippet escorted Miss D. Illingworth, provincial commissioner, into the ring.

Among the guests were Mrs. T. M. Knox, fairy godmother of the pack; Mrs. R. L. Smythe, who was a Brown Owl in Peking; Mrs. M. E. Kinloch, divisional commissioner when the pack was formed; Miss Henderson of the Y.W.C.A.; Mrs. Alan Morkill, Miss D. Illingworth, provincial commissioner; Miss M. Hannah, Miss Hilda Leighton, divisional commissioner. Assisting with arrangements was Miss June Campbell, Tawny Owl. Mrs. Phillips, president of the local association; Mrs. C. Freethy, one of the early Brownies; Mrs. Joan Symons, present cub mistress; Mrs. R. Coates, Brown Owl of Sidney Pack; Mrs. Barne, Brown Owl of the Salvation Army Pack.

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 F.O. C. P. Axhorn, R.C.A.F., and his British bride, who arrived this afternoon from overseas to visit with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. Axhorn, 1427 Pembroke Street. —F.O. Axhorn met and married the former Margaret Turner of Mill Hill, London, while on active service as an air force observer in Britain, attached to the Coastal Command.

Personal Notes

Lieutenant-Governor W. C. Woodward returned to Government House today from Vancouver and this evening will be host to six senior officers of the West Coast Command, including Rear-Admiral Victor Brodeur, prior to the opening of "Meet the Navy" show.

Mr. J. Hanna of Saskatoon is at the Empress.

Mr. and Mrs. C. S. Langille, Winnipeg, are visiting the city.

Mrs. W. Brockie is in Victoria from Edmonton.

Mrs. Renee Lindgren has gone to Vancouver for several days.

P.O. and Mrs. Fred Morris have come to Victoria from Ganges.

Mr. and Mrs. N. McCannell have come to Victoria from Kamloops.

Nursing Sister Dorothy Chowne of Vancouver is in Victoria.

Lieut. H. Lile Jesty, R.C.N. V.R., of Victoria, spent the weekend in Vancouver with his mother, Mrs. R. M. Jesty.

Mr. and Mrs. George Penfold, of Cupar, Sask., are the guests of Mr. and Mrs. A. Trafford, 1224 Dallas Road.

Mrs. Breen Melvin of Prince Rupert is visiting Victoria and will go to Vancouver to be the guest of her husband's parents, Rev. and Mrs. J. W. Melvin.

Mr. J. K. Hodges, manager of the Empress Hotel, and Mrs. Hodges, will be hosts this evening to 350 visiting and local golfers taking part in the 16th annual Empress golf tournament, at a get-together supper and dancing party in the Empress ballroom and tearoom.

The prairie people who have come to take part in the golf tournament are at the Empress Hotel are: Mr. and Mrs. A. M. Crawford and Mr. J. H. Rumball, Calgary; Mr. and Mrs. C. B. Coertz and Mr. and Mrs. C. B. Webb, Edmonton; Dr. D. McIntyre, Winnipeg; Mrs. G. Maxwell Bell, Calgary; Mrs. Pauline Paton and Mr. and Mrs. S. A. Swindell, Mr. R. S. Ramsay, Mr. J. B. F. Faulkner and Miss Jane Faulkner, Winnipeg, and Mr. and Mrs. James Foster, Calgary.

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Saturday Supper Dance

When spring and winter meet... at the Empress Hotel dance Saturday there were still dancers who chose the elegance of formal frocks rather than the brightly-flowered street-length dresses that inevitably speak of spring. One of the most charming was Miss Margaret Niven, of Nanaimo, who wore an Empire gown of green velvet, and was escorted by P.O. W. W. Ashley of Newcastle Island, here on few days' leave. ... Party of six informally entertaining were Mr. Andrews of Vancouver, whose guests were Miss Peggy Frost, Mr. John Watson, Miss Pip Beckett, Miss Mary Anstle and Mr. Gordon Ford. ... Among the twosomes were Lieut. W. G. Dagher of the U.S. army, holidaying in Victoria from Fort Lewis with his wife. ... Miss Barbara Whittem with Maj. Howie Sims. ... Col. and Mrs. Aubrey Kent. ... Lieut. Philip Knowling, R.C.N. V.R., on loan from the British Admiralty while lecturing on security across Canada, with Miss Betty McMurray. ... Mr. and Mrs. Hugh Savage. ... Capt. Owen Forsyth with Miss Freda Burton. ... Miss Marion Duncan and Miss Florence Perkins, both of Van-

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couver, were in a foursome with Mr. Jeffrey Robins and Mr. Ronald McCummins. ... Special request number played by Billy Tickle for Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Tickle was one of this week's hits—"No Love, No Nothing". ... Two English officers from the Imperial army, Capt. Bert Hanks and Maj. Richard Holdsworth, with their attractive partners at a table for four.

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Club Calendar

W.A. to Tuberculous Veterans, Thursday, 2.30, clubrooms.

Stagette Club tonight, 8, home of Miss Lola Metro, 603 Government Street.

Primrose Lodge, Daughters of England, Friday, 8, Drill practice, Monday at 2.

W.A. to Britannia Branch, Canadian Legion, card social, Thursday, 8, boardroom. Cribbage and court whist.

Esquimalt W.I., Friday, 7.30.

1357 Esquimalt Road. Mrs. Alfred Watt, O.B.E., will speak on "Women Utilize Natural Resources."

Sir James Douglas, Albert Sullivan, former inspector of high schools, will address the meeting Tuesday at 8 in the school auditorium. Founders' Day will be observed and former members of the association have been invited. The school Glee Club will provide musical entertainment.

Engagements

Mr. and Mrs. F. Donald Corry, Penticton, B.C., announce the engagement of their elder daughter, Hazel Annie to Lieut. William Stewart Rodger, K.O.R.C. (C.A.), elder son of Mrs. E. Rodger and the late Edwin Rodger of Ravenscrag, Sask. The wedding will take place at St. Saviour's Church, Penticton, the third week in March.

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Weddings

LAMB-TAYLOR
The marriage took place Saturday evening at St. Martin's-in-the-Fields Church, of Gertrude Beatrice Taylor, third daughter of Mr. and Mrs. S. Taylor, 501 Obed Avenue, and CPO. Clarence Alfred Lamb, R.C.N., son of Mr. and Mrs. F. B. Lamb, 376 Obed Avenue. Rev. K. L. Sandercock officiated.

Given in marriage by her father, the bride wore an afternoon frock of turquoise silk crepe with a tiny hat trimmed with toning flowers and pink veiling. Her bouquet was composed of pink rosebuds. Miss Patricia Groves was bridesmaid, wearing a dressmaker suit of pink wool with brown accessories and carrying a bouquet of iris and carnations. The bride's brother, Samuel Taylor, supported the groom.

A reception for the immediate family and close friends was held at the home of the bride's parents, after which CPO. and Mrs. Lamb left for a honeymoon trip up island.

BRETT-FRYATT
Gertrude Elsie, younger daughter of Mr. and Mrs. A. P. Fryatt, Snowdrop Avenue, Marigold, was united in marriage Saturday evening at Garden City United Church to LAC. Victor Lawson Brett, R.C.A.F., youngest son of

Mrs. E. A. Brett, Burnaby, B.C., and the late Mr. A. W. Brett. Rev. Wm. Allan performed the ceremony, assisted by Rev. J. Currie Thomson. Wedding music was played by Mrs. C. Mout and Miss Catherine Denison sang "Till Walk Beside You," while the bridal party was in the vestry.

A gown of white embroidered crepe, slightly en train, with a lace yoke, was worn by the bride, who was given in marriage by her father. She wore her grandmother's horseshoe ruby pin on the yoke of the frock and a finger-tip length tulle veil was caught to a Mary Stuart head-dress trimmed with orange blossom. She carried a shower bouquet of red roses, white carnations and violets. Miss Joyce Dickson was the senior bridal attendant, frocked in pale blue crepe with a tiny matching hat, and Marilyn Reid, niece of the bride was flower girl in pale pink taffeta. Her Dutch cap was of matching net and both carried Colonial bouquets of violets and roses. Walter Taylor was best man and Jack Robinson and Douglas Reid acted as ushers.

A reception was held at the home of the bride's parents, where Mrs. Fryatt assisted the young couple in receiving the guests.

Following a motoring honeymoon up island, LAC. and Mrs. Brett will take up residence at 2425 West 6th Avenue, Vancouver. For traveling, the bride chose a cinnamon brown crepe frock, matching accessories, darker brown topcoat with light fur collar and a corsage bouquet of gerbera.

PORTER-PETCH
The marriage took place in St. Philip's Church, Vancouver, Saturday evening, of Ella Joan, daughter of Mr. J. W. Petch, 2944 Prior Street, and the late Mrs. Petch, and CPO. Richard Earl Porter, R.C.N.V.R., eldest son of Mr. and Mrs. E. R. D. Porter, 4021 West 13th Avenue, Point Grey, Vancouver. Rev. H. J. Greig officiated and Jaems (Sonny) Richardson played as a violin solo, "Through the Years."

Given in marriage by her father, the bride wore a full-skirted gown of white taffeta with a basque bodice, long pointed sleeves and a sweetheart neckline, and over this fell her finger-tip veil. She carried a bouquet of white hyacinths and gardenias. The bride was attended by her three sisters. Mrs. F. C. Anders and Mrs. J. G. Hilker were in apricot yellow taffeta frocks, with green gloves and yellow flowers and green veils on their heads, and Miss Mary June Petch was in sky blue with a blue veil and yellow flowers in her hair, and wore yellow gloves. All carried bouquets of spring flowers. CPO. John Ellison, R.C.N.V.R., was groomsmen and ushering were Sub-Lt. William Matheson, CPO. William Dalrymple and Mr. G. Hilker.

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After a honeymoon, CPO. and Mrs. Porter will reside in Victoria. Going away, the bride chose a cherry red Glenlivet suit with brown accessories.

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The bride was given in marriage by her father and wore a floor-length gown of white nylon with bishop sleeves and a yoke of French lace. A headdress of lace held her embroidered finger-tip veil and she carried a shower bouquet of pink Columbia roses and white carnations. Mrs. W. E. Roskelley attended her sister, in a frock of cerise georgette with a tucked bolero, while the groom's sister, Miss Gwenyth Evans, was in turquoise French crepe with a quilted jacket. Their matching headdresses were trimmed with silver and they carried arm bouquets of pink carnations and white narcissi. Little Virginia Diane Roskelley, in a Kate Greenaway frock of maize silk with a matching hair band, was flower girl, carrying a Victorian posy of spring flowers; and Cpl. David Evans, R.C.A., supported his brother. Acting as ushers were Captain W. E. Roskelley and BSM. William Smith, R.C.A.

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Guides Helped Many War Organizations
Mrs. Curtis Sampson was re-elected president of the East District Girl Guides Local Association at the annual meeting held at "Molton Combe."

Mrs. Keith MacDougall, East District commissioner, gave her report and stressed the importance of having active members in the Guide organization. Their work was to find suitable buildings and camp sites for the companies and to bring the usefulness of the Guides before the public by suggesting they should help at all suitable functions.

Work accomplished during the year included salvage collecting, sewing for the Red Cross; helping in A.R.P. and acting as messengers in the Balmoral leave centre for service women.

Miss A. B. Cooke gave the treasurer's report and Miss Lillie, badge convener, reported 137 badge tests had been passed.

Miss Illingworth gave a description of a trip she and Miss Hanna had taken to visit Guide companies in Port Alberni, Bamfield and Tofino, where they also had a company of Sea Guides.

Other officers elected were: Secretary, Mrs. Alfred Woodcroft; treasurer, Miss A. B. Cooke and badge convener, Mrs. G. Lillie. Mrs. E. Galloway was elected delegate to the provincial meeting to be held in Vancouver.

Refreshments were served by Mrs. Curtis Sampson, assisted by Mrs. Cuthbert Holmes and Miss Elizabeth Holmes. Special guests included Mrs. L. A. Genge, Miss K. Wilson, Miss D. Illingworth, provincial commissioner; Miss M. Hanna, head of training; Miss Leighton, divisional commissioner.

Girl Guide Notes

First West Victoria Company.
The meeting opened with a tracking and stalking hike. The Guides discussed the coming week-end camp for patrol leaders and second-order which is to be held March 18 and 19. Dieder MacKenzie was given her second-class badge, following this stars were given out. The meeting closed with the singing of Taps.

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It may be true that mothers have the most to do with forming the outlook of children. Yet I believe that if mothers really ruled the world they would not allow the system of war to go on and on.

Another point about the saying is the use of the phrase "rock the cradle." Cradles which rock are not common nowadays, but there was a time when most houses with babies in them had cradles which either rocked or swung on hines.



P.T.A. News
Burnside — A novelty whist game followed the last meeting. An honor roll for members of the armed forces who were former Burnside School pupils is being completed, and names may be phoned to Mrs. J. Smith, E1045. A St. Patrick's tea followed by a whist game in the evening will be held March 17. An old-time dance will be held in the school auditorium March 29 at 8.30.


SWIFT'S WEEKLY FOOD HINTS

Martha Logan, Swift's famed home economist, whose weekly, wartime cooking column is a regular feature of this page. Look for these valuable hints each Monday.

by Martha Logan



Roast Loin of Pork



This tempting Pork Roast is a favorite where and whenever it can be found. Brown, juicy and tempting, with apple sauce and candied sweet potatoes or pickled orange slices, a roast loin of pork is definitely a dish for special occasions.

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to garnish hot or cold roast pork
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1 cup corn syrup
1 cup vinegar
1/2 cup boiling water
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Combine ingredients and boil 5 minutes. Add orange slices, arrange slices in baking dish, pour on syrup and bake 45 minutes in a hot oven. Seal in sterilized jars.

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Canadian Hierarchy Asks Rome Be Spared

QUEBEC (CP)—A plea that the city of Rome be spared from devastation was made public here Sunday on behalf of the 50 Roman Catholic archbishops and bishops of Canada.

The statement was signed by Cardinal Villeneuve, Archbishop of Quebec, "in his capacity of cardinal of the church and chairman of the plenary meeting and chief executive of the Canadian hierarchy," and was made public by Rt. Rev. Msgr. Paul Bernier, French-speaking secretary of the Canadian hierarchy.

The statement, issued in English and French, said: "The time seems to have come for us to direct to authorities responsible for the leading of the war a supreme appeal. We conjure them to spare the city of Rome, the glory of our civilization, the home of art and culture, the centre of Christianity, which 20 centuries of history have respected and venerated even to proclaim it the Eternal City."

"We eagerly invite not only our Catholic brethren but all those as well who cannot remain indifferent to the fate of Rome, to join their prayers and their endeavors to our own, so that the nations at war dare not, in devastating—that city holy amongst all cities, inflict upon Christianity a grief and upon themselves a wrong no victory would ever redeem in the eyes of posterity."

"We are confident that the political wisdom and military valor of our leaders shall be equal to that achievement no less noble than uneasy, to save both the human lives entrusted to their care and the Eternal City, the precious appanage of the whole of mankind."

Magistrate McQueen, Vancouver, Dies

VANCOUVER (CP)—Magistrate G. R. McQueen died in a hospital here Saturday following a brief illness. Born in Dundas, Ont., he came to Vancouver in 1891. He was a member of the Vancouver police commission. He is survived by his wife and a daughter.

respect, consideration and co-operation."

"This means we must earn and keep their respect as a great military machine dedicated to the single task of doing our duty in winning this war," the supreme Allied invasion commander said.

His order was laid down in a unique letter addressed "to every American serving under my command."

Doukhobors Parade In Orange Crowns

NELSON, B.C. (CP)—Persons arriving here from the nearby Slocan valley area reported seeing several members of the fanatic Sons of Freedom Doukhobors wearing crowns of oranges and long veils and riding horses up and down the main district highway.

It was recalled that several years ago an aged Doukhobor in the Grand Forks district wore a crown of oranges, but he did not ride a horse or wear a veil.

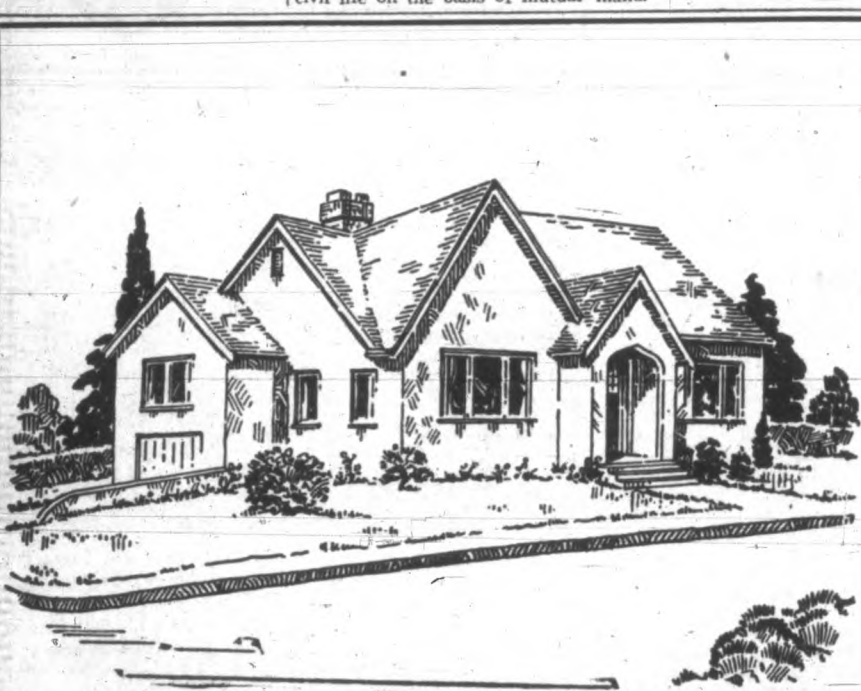
Meanwhile there were no reports of further demonstrations by the radical Doukhobor branch. Saturday reports reached nearby Brilliant that the Sons of Freedom had begun a fresh series of demonstrations protesting against call-up regulations.

Eisenhower Tells Men To Work With British

LONDON (CP)—Gen. Dwight D. Eisenhower, saying that "only a self-disciplined army can win battles," told the U.S. forces in Britain Sunday night it was vital that they work with Britons "both in the fighting services and in civil life on the basis of mutual

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Soft fleecy finished Gowns with open back. Finished with strong tapes. Infants' size only. Each . . .

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Soft, warm Crib Blankets, 36x56 inches. Nursery motifs in pink or white. Grand for carriage or crib. Each . . .

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SLEEP SAFE HARNESS, for keeping the active baby safe in sleep. Set . . . 1 29
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Victoria Entertains Record Entry for Empress Golf



From left to right: Mrs. Carl Jones, W. Chatalas, Mrs. A. J. O'Brien and Mrs. Frank Campbell, all members of the Rainier Golf Club, Seattle.



Mrs. G. R. Beddie, Vancouver, and Mrs. J. C. Wilson, Winnipeg.

Golfers from all parts of the Pacific Northwest and prairie provinces are in the city for the 16th Annual Empress Winter Golf Tournament which got under way today. The affair has attracted 291 entries with 204 from out-of-town. Victoria Golf Club is the host club with Uplands assisting. Finals of the handicap championships will be played Saturday.



Mrs. D. A. Aitkens, Mrs. M. E. Naysmith and Mrs. V. Dietrich, all of Vancouver.

Sports Mirror

By PETE SALLAWAY

JUST how much difference it makes to a fighter when he steps out of his own weight division to get competition was ably demonstrated Friday night when Bob Montgomery, Philadelphia negro, regained the New York version of the world lightweight championship from Sidney Walker (Beau Jack to you), former little shoe-shine boy from Augusta, Ga. Only two weeks previous in the same New York ring Montgomery had been knocked out in the second minute of the first round by Al (Bummy) Davis, a welterweight.

That quick kayo did more than anything else to make Montgomery the under dog for his title fight with Jack. However, against a scrapper of his own weight Montgomery proved the master and even threw the harder punches all night despite the fact he had a tough time making the 135-pound limit. Philadelphia Bob had to make four visits to the scales before he could get under. In other words Montgomery had to sweat about every last drop of moisture out of his body to make the weight and that should have weakened him for the 15-round scrap. Maybe that was the reason Montgomery slowed up no little bit in the middle rounds of the fight but not enough to lose him the decision and the chance to battle Sammy Angott, recognized by the National Boxing Association as champion, in a bout to finally settle supremacy among the 135-pounders.

Harold Turner, coach of the K.V.'s basketball team dropped into the office to give us some interesting data on the splendid record set up by his clubs this season. The association operates

four outfits and so far the clubs have lost one game in league and playoff competition. The midget squad, the only one to suffer a setback, and that was early in the season. The intermediate A boys waited through to the British Columbia championship last season with a perfect record and they have yet to drop their first game this campaign. This week the club will travel to the mainland for the coast final against Vancouver Arrows, a supposedly hot-shot outfit. But Turner and his boys are confident they will return home with their record unblemished.

Len Earl, veteran Winnipeg newspaperman, joins the growing ring supporting the late Tommy Phillips of the famous Kenora Thistles as the greatest of all hockey players. Says Len: "Grand opera, for example, has had many tenors but there has only been one Caruso. Hockey has had many greats but for speed, elusiveness, stamina and accuracy of shooting there was only one Phillips."

The three Chin brothers, forward line with Lucknow, Ont., juvenile hockey team, compiled a total of 67 goals and 88 assists in 10 games this season. Bill Chin leads with 36 goals and 21 assists. ... Cpl. Dave Castilloux, boxing instructor at Montreal wireless school, has two V.D.'s attending regular classes. The girls will appear in a boxing exhibition. ... News that Seattle's Longacres racetrack would resume operation this season after being closed a year was disturbing to Vancouver horsemen. Jockeys were scarce enough around Vancouver last season and the situation will be even worse this year with many of the top riders going to Longacres.

Naval Cadets Win Cup Rugby

Nose Out Army 8-6

Naval Cadets pulled the biggest surprise of the rugby season at Macdonald Park, Saturday, when they beat the Army fifteen after a hard-fought game, 8 to 6. The win gave the Cadets possession of the Macdonald Cup.

The Naval College boys earned their win by superior running and passing by their threat. The troops never got rolling in their usual style, and apart from a period in the second half when the Army's weight appeared to be telling never looked like winners.

Peden's value as a kicker was soon in evidence when he booted home a beauty, on a penalty from almost midfield. The Cadets were playing right on top of their men, and keen, first time tackling had the Army thrice slowed to practically a standstill.

The equalizer came as the result of a penalty, Wood making the kick, and the half ended 3 to 3. The second half was only a few minutes old when Doug Bray galloped over after a series of forward rushes. Peden failed with the kick.

The Cadets raced back on the attack, and in the best passing movement of the day, Sabiston went over, and Wood notched the extra points with a perfect kick.

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Start Match Play In Feesey Cup Golf

Opening round of match play in the Feesey Cup competition at the Uplands Golf Club will be played next Sunday although players may arrange their matches during the week, after Wednesday.

Draw follows:

SECOND FLIGHT
8:00—A. L. MacKenzie vs. I. G. Berry.
9:00—V. G. Hope vs. W. Barker.
9:10—A. D. Macdonald vs. Hugh MacKenzie.
9:20—L. A. McKinnon vs. G. Stewart.
9:30—A. McGowan vs. Capt. J. W. Kempston.
CUP FLIGHT
9:40—J. D. Ferguson vs. A. A. McMillan.
9:50—A. Phillips vs. W. Lovell.
10:00—G. Pattinson vs. E. Badminton.
10:10—H. G. MacKenzie vs. E. MacKenzie-Grieve.
10:20—B. Ard vs. J. J. Robertson.
10:30—E. F. Peden vs. C. J. Robertson.
10:40—Dr. H. M. Livesy vs. S. C. Trevis.
10:50—D. Johnson vs. Dr. D. Calvert.
11:00—8 form First Flight.
FOURTH FLIGHT
10:30—E. Peden vs. H. B. Howard.
10:40—W. S. Kirkpatrick vs. G. Stewart.
10:50—M. Cuppage vs. A. V. Webb.
11:00—C. H. Thomas vs. R. Walton.

FENNER NAMED PILOT
ROCHESTER, N.Y. (AP)—Ken Fenner, who piloted Sacramento in the Pacific Coast Baseball League last season, will succeed John (Pepper) Martin as Rochester manager, Guy P. Airey, business manager of the International League club, announced Saturday night.

McSpaden Takes First Honors In Gulfport Golf

GULFPORT, Miss. (AP)—Harold (Jug) McSpaden of Philadelphia fired a three-under-par 68 in the final round Sunday to win first place in the \$4,500 Gulfport open golf tournament.

Sammy Byrd, winner of the New Orleans open last Monday, was second with a four-round total of 282, six strokes above McSpaden.

McSpaden put together a four-round total of 70-68-70-68—276, eight strokes under par for the 72 holes. Byron Nelson, second-place winner in the New Orleans tournament, placed third with a final round of 71 for a total of 283.

Tony Penna, Dayton, O., pro, finished fourth with a 72-hole total of 284. For the victory McSpaden received \$1,000 in war bonds, while Byrd won \$750. Nelson received \$550, and Penna \$450.

V.M.D. First Team Wins Cup Soccer

Playing before a small crowd Victoria Machinery Depot first division eleven, defeated the second division club 9 to 1 in a first round Jackson Cup soccer match Saturday.

In the opening half Parks, Payne and Perry fired three goals for the first team with Hodges netting a lone goal for the second squad.

Second half was featured by Mills' hat-trick with Reside booting a pair and Parks one to complete the scoring for the afternoon.

In juvenile cup matches Victoria City and Royals tied 1 to 1 while Combines beat St. Louis College 2 to 1.

Fight-Fixing Ring Found in Toronto

TORONTO (CP)—The Ontario Athletic Commission said in a statement Saturday it has "conclusive proof" that a fight-fixing ring is operating in Toronto, comprising "at least three men whose names are known to the chairman."

The statement, over the signatures of Chairman Lionel Conacher and Secretary A. W. Steel, said names of the men would be given to all promoters and that they would be barred from entering any building in Ontario where boxing matches were being held.

"Also, the commission is going to stop all but officials visiting dressing rooms and will also license all seconds and trainers so that they will be under direct supervision of the commission for all future shows," said the statement.

Combines Capture Final Cage Clash

VANCOUVER (CP)—Vancouver Combines romped to an easy victory Saturday night as they treated Lauries senior A basketball squad to the short end of a 55 to 26 score.

Mathematically eliminated from the Inter-city League, Lauries now step out of the picture and the last games of the schedule are automatically canceled. This includes the Victoria Army-Varsity game, postponed tonight until next week.

From the first quarter of the game, Combines took the lead with a 14 to 7 score and at half-time had increased it by 5, while Lauries did not get even one basket.

In the third quarter they added 10 to the tie-Rates 6 and rushed ahead to snow Lauries under a 59 to 26 score.

Arcaro's Riding Decides

Four Freedoms Winner

MIAMI, Fla. (AP)—Cocky Eddie Arcaro, a miracle man on a race horse, whipped Green Tree Stable's Four Freedoms to victory in the \$25,000 Widener Handicap Saturday and put the finishing touches on a riding feat without modern precedent.

He did it the hard way, beating a better horse and the winter's leading jockey in a magnificent duel down the home stretch.

When Arcaro pushed Four Freedoms' nose ahead at the finish, he completed a Hialeah Park grand slam. He captured both the park's big stakes—the Flamingo and the Widener—in 1942, and won the Flamingo again last Saturday with the longshot Stir Up.

The park was closed in 1943. Calumet Farm's Sun Again, a favorite in the 11-horse race, and Ted Atkinson, a brilliant jockey from Toronto, succumbed to Arcaro's riding magic. Sun Again took the lead once near the finish, but Arcaro worked furiously with his whip and had Four Freedoms in front at the finish.

Five lengths behind Sun Again came A. C. Ernst's Alquest and the early pacemaker, Havahome Stable's Eurasian, trailed by another three lengths. Marriage, second favorite, was fifth by a head.

Four Freedoms' time over the 1 1/4-mile course was two minutes, 4 3/4 seconds. His price to win was \$17.30 to \$2; for place, \$4.20, and for show, \$3.30. Sun Again paid \$3 and \$2.70. Alquest returned \$3.00.

Results follow:
First race—Mile and one-eighth: All Day (Benitez) \$16.30 \$2.20 \$2.10; Fair Call (Westrop) \$10.00 6.00 5.70; Beggar (Arcaro) \$3.70; Yalinda (Layton) \$3.00; Bold Skipper (Layton) \$2.80; Port Mary (MacNeil) \$2.70; Swift Legion (Jones).
Second race—Five furlongs: Rurales (Brooks) \$9.70 \$4.70 \$4.10; Chicago Dr. (Caffrey) \$3.80 2.80 2.60; Chiffre (Caffrey) \$3.60; Time 1:13 4/5. Also ran: Trotter, Easy Belling (Caffrey), Ample, Reward, Morocco (Caffrey), Take Courage, The D. (Caffrey).
Third race—Three furlongs: Timelines (Lindberg) \$18.00 \$3.10 \$2.60; Sun Again (Atkinson) \$3.20 2.30 2.00; Briele (Eads) \$3.00; Piquant (Bel-dine, Maranese), Ginkum, Tjor, Darlen, Germaine, Marling, Don Chance, Fifth race—Mile and one-quarter: Four Freedoms (Arcaro) \$17.30 \$4.20 \$3.30; Sun Again (Atkinson) \$3.00 2.30 2.00; Alquest (Ada) \$2.80; Time 2:04 3/5. Also ran: Tweak, Shit Put, Alex Barth, Marriage, Eursion, Sweep Swinger, Copperman, First Fiddle, The D. (Caffrey).
Fourth race—Mile and one-half: Moon (Brooks) \$12.50 \$3.70 \$3.20; Profile (Atkinson) \$6.00 4.50 4.10; Love Day (McMillen) \$3.80 2.80 2.60; Sun Again (Atkinson) \$3.60; Time 1:54 3/5. Also ran: Trotter, Easy Belling (Caffrey), Ample, Reward, Morocco (Caffrey), Take Courage, The D. (Caffrey).
Fifth race—Mile and one-quarter: Sun Again (Atkinson) \$17.30 \$4.20 \$3.30; Sun Again (Atkinson) \$3.00 2.30 2.00; Alquest (Ada) \$2.80; Time 2:04 3/5. Also ran: Tweak, Shit Put, Alex Barth, Marriage, Eursion, Sweep Swinger, Copperman, First Fiddle, The D. (Caffrey).
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Eighth race—Mile and three-eighths: In Question (Pernette) \$12.50 \$3.70 \$3.20; Sun Again (Atkinson) \$3.00 2.30 2.00; Alquest (Ada) \$2.80; Time 2:04 3/5. Also ran: Tweak, Shit Put, Alex Barth, Marriage, Eursion, Sweep Swinger, Copperman, First Fiddle, The D. (Caffrey).
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Gil Dodds Captures Killing Mile Race

NEW YORK (AP)—Gil Dodds, Boston pastor who turns killer on the track, received the scare of the indoor track season Saturday night in a special mile at the intercollegiate A.A.A.A. indoor track meet at Madison Square Garden, but recovered in time to win his fifth straight race, this time in 4:10.2.

For seven of the 11 laps around the pine oval Bill Hulse, America's premier miler, fought every move Dodds made to take over, only to collapse on the eighth lap.

Hulse was all through a few strides after Dodds took over and Ensign Oliver Hunter, of the Columbia Midshipmen's School, finished second, fully 80 yards behind.

E.A.F. WINNER

In Sunday's second division soccer match the R.A.F. blanked the Saanich Indians 4 to 0.

St. Louis College Capture Grid Game

St. Louis College blanked Vichigh 29 to 0 in Sunday's match in the Interscholastic Canadian Football League. It marked the first defeat for Vichigh this season.

Taking advantage of a Vichigh fumble in the first quarter Rynoski faked a pass and ran around the end to score. O'Connell failed to kick the extra point.

In the second quarter, following a pass to the 15-yard line, Len French smashed through the centre of the line to score. O'Connell's kick was good. Rynoski scored another try for the College when he reversed his field in a pretty move to go over standing up. O'Connell converted.

Brown scored for the College in the third quarter on the next play following a completed pass from Rynoski to French. O'Connell again kicked the extra point. Final score for the College was contributed by Monaghan following a fumble. O'Connell converted his fourth kick.

Yarrows-Caulkers Bowling Champions

By the slim margin of one pin, Yarrows Caulkers captured the team championship of the city handicap fivepin tournament over the week-end at Gibson's Bowldrome. The winners had a three-game score of 3,354, while Yarrows Ironworkers rolled 3,353.

Third place went to the Kent Cafe with 3,350, while the Kiwanis and V.M.D. Electricians tied for fourth with 3,348. R.C. A.F. Belmonts and New Method Laundry tied for sixth with 3,342, while C.P.O.'s finished eighth with 3,331 and the Navy C.V.'s ninth with 3,241.

Members of the winning team and their scores follow: N. Kokran 621, W. Wild 571, H. Small 617, L. Harper 630 and J. Latham 624. The winners had a handicap of 291.

Sam Sweetman of the New Method Laundry had high three-game score with 757.

Next week-end the singles and doubles will be held.

League Leaders

Herb Cain, Boston, who leads National Hockey League's high-scoring list, bagged three goals and one assist over the week-end to give himself a total of 70 points.

The three counters were made when Bruins held Rangers to a 4 to 4 tie Sunday night, and he got the assist when his team defeated Rangers 10 to 9 Saturday.

Joe Carveth, Detroit, who formerly shared a seventh place tie with his teammate Carl Liscombe and Boston's Bill Cowley, was forced out of the leader's list.

Carpet Bowling

Victoria Carpet Bowling League results follow:
St. Albans Rangers won by default from Eagles.
St. Albans Rangers 10, St. Albans Rovers 28.
S.O.E. 14, S.O.E. Republic 17.
St. Albans Rangers 18, Eagles 16.
FINAL LEAGUE STANDING

	G.	A.	Pts.
Cain, Boston	24	34	68
D. Bentley, Chicago	24	34	68
Moisten, Chicago	24	34	68
C. Smith, Chicago	22	43	65
Carr, Toronto	20	23	43
LaCombe, Detroit	21	21	42
Cheyson, Boston	24	28	52
Leach, Canadians	18	44	62

Red Deer Gains Ice Final With Overtime Victory

CALGARY (CP)—It's Red Deer Army Wheelers and Currie Barracks in the best-of-three-game series for the Alberta Services Hockey League championship. Both clubs, built around former major league performers, meet in Red Deer Tuesday and at Calgary Saturday. Date of the third game has not been set, but it will be played in Calgary.

The Wheelers won the semi-final series here Saturday night with a thrilling 4 to 2 overtime victory over Calgary Tecumseh Mustangs before 4,063 persons, the second largest crowd of the season. Penalties played a major part in the decision with four of the six goals scored while the clubs were short-handed.

Wheelers held a 2 to 1 margin until the last minute of play when a penalty to George Par-geter paved the way for Navy's second goal. Dave (Sweeney) Schriener, former Toronto Maple Leaf star, snared a pass from Eddie Wares to tie the score and force the contest into overtime.

On the first play of the extra period, Joe Shannon drew a hooking penalty and the soldiers sent five men up. Bud Emery broke the tie and Eddie Slowinski made victory certain at the three-minute mark, just before Shannon returned to the ice.

Pargeter scored Wheelers' first goal at 6:21 of the first period, and Roy Sawyer netted for Navy in the only second-period counter. Calgary won the first game of the series at Calgary, 5 to 1, and Wheelers took the second game at Red Deer by the same score.

Maroons, Royals Win Minor Hockey

Maroons and Royals marked up victories Sunday night as playoffs opened in the Victoria Minor Hockey Association.

With Laurence Griffin firing all six goals, Maroons won the Senators 6 to 5 in overtime in the midge division. Royals defeated the Maroons 4 to 3 in the juvenile game. The winners advance to the finals of their divisional playoffs.

In the midge game Griffin put on a great one-man scoring act to lead his club to victory. Scorers for the Senators were Iodridge 2, Turner, Harkin and Rennie.

Grossy's second goal of the game in the third period gave the Royals a win over the Maroons. Other goals for the winners were provided by Brewer and Bertand, while Oberg 2 and Webster scored for the Maroons.

Members of the association wishing tickets for Friday and Saturday playoff games with New Westminster can secure them from Ivan Temple at the Hudson's Bay.

Three Local Teams Win Cage Playoffs

Victoria basketball teams won all three island championship playoff games at the High School gym Saturday night. K.V.'s intermediate boys defeated Courtenay 30 to 15 while their junior boys won their second straight clash with Nanaimo 41 to 11. Comets, local intermediate B girls, won from Nanaimo 41 to 14.

To determine the island senior B men's basketball championship Victoria Alcos will meet Port Alberni in a sudden-death game at Nanaimo Wednesday night. Wally Smith, manager of the Alcos team, announced today.

Canadiens Register Double Over Leafs

Establish New League Goal Scoring Mark

WEEK-END SCORES
Canadiens 5, Toronto 2.
Canadiens 8, Toronto 3.
Boston 10, Rangers 9.
Boston 4, Rangers 4.
Detroit 6, Chicago 2.
Chicago 6, Detroit 1.

Three different sets of home-and-home results spiced a National Hockey League week-end which saw practically all the fancy touches written, as usual, by Montreal Canadiens.

In inflicting double disaster on Toronto Maple Leafs, wartime hockey's "big" team:

1. Stretched their victory streak to eight straight;
2. Played their 22nd consecutive game without defeat on home ice;
3. Expanded their goal total to 202, four more than the league record Leafs put on the books last season;
4. Moved within four points of the 77 Boston Bruins acquired in 1929-30 in establishing a record for points in a single season.

On other fronts, Detroit Red Wings and Chicago Black Hawks broke even, Wings winning the Saturday contest 6 to 2 on home ice and dropping a 6 to 1 verdict in Chicago Sunday, while Boston shaded Rangers 10 to 9 at Boston Saturday and played to a 4 to 4 draw in the Sabbath engagement at New York.

The results did little to clarify the struggle for alignment among the four clubs chasing Canadiens. Detroit remained in second place, 23 points behind Canadiens and four points in the van of Chicago, who usurped third place from the faltering Leafs, Toronto, in fourth place two points behind Chicago held a five-point grip on the league's last playoff berth ahead of Boston, which has six games to play compared with five for Toronto before the Stanley Cup series starts.

Maurice Richard continued his wicket scoring pace, tallying twice Saturday as Canadiens trounced Leafs 5 to 2 in Toronto and adding three in their 8 to 3 conquest of Leafs Sunday. Babe Pratt fired two of the Toronto goals in the week-end games, but Paul Bihault, standing up under winter in Montreal fire in the Toronto nets, probably was the most useful Leaf player. Gerry Heffernan bagged three Montreal goals.

Up to the week-end Chicago hadn't won on Detroit ice in 16 games since March 15, 1940, and they fared no better Saturday.

It was a different story in Chicago Sunday as the Hawks moved into a 5 to 0 lead before Hal Jackson got Detroit's only goal. Clint Smith and Bill Mosienko scored twice while linemate Doug Bentley flashed one red light.

Boston's veteran Bill Cowley collected four goals and two assists in Saturday's high-scoring action, but failed to add a point Sunday as Bruins blew a 3 to 1 second-period lead.

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Paramount seems to have cornered the market on laugh films. That studio has come up with another one—"No Time for Love," co-starring Claudette Colbert and Fred MacMurray—and it is, without doubt, one of the funniest movies seen in a long time. The audience of the Capitol Theatre where the picture opened today, loved it, to judge by the laughter with which it was received.

The stars are seen as an arty woman photographer and a tough, strong-minded tunnel digger. They meet on the floor of a tunnel when Claudette is assigned to get pictures of the sand-hogs at work. Their romance starts then and there, although they don't know it. It really gets going hilariously when, because of getting MacMurray into trouble, Claudette offers to hire him herself; he takes her up on it, becomes her assistant and a welcome thorn in her side.

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DEANNA DURBIN finds romance with FRANCHOT TONE in Universal's gay comedy, "His Butler's Sister," now at the Oak Bay and Plaza Theatres.

Deanna Durbin Teams With Tone

No man in Hollywood is better suited to produce Deanna Durbin pictures than Felix Jackson. Having collaborated on the writing of many of Deanna's films, Jackson knows the star so thoroughly that it is just second nature for him to pick just the right vehicle for her.

Jackson's film career hasn't been tied exclusively to Miss Durbin, however. He wrote many stories for the industry's top stars before Universal executives signed him to produce "Hers to Hold." He again served in the same capacity on Deanna's new film, "His Butler's Sister," now at the Oak Bay and Plaza Theatres, and has three other productions already preparing for her.

In addition to his thorough knowledge of story and production matters, Jackson also contributes importantly to the music in his star's pictures. According to Deanna, "he is the best judge of music of any man I know."

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CAPITOL—"No Time for Love," starring Claudette Colbert and Fred MacMurray.
DOMINION—"Happy Land," With Don Ameche and Ann Rutherford.
OAK BAY-PLAZA—Deanna Durbin in "His Butler's Sister."
RIO—"Lady of Burlesque," Starring Barbara Stanwyck.
YORK—Bette Davis in "The Little Foxes."

Bright Comedy Coming to Atlas

A gay and sparkling comedy, starring Olivia de Havilland and Robert Cummings, will be the new screen offering at the Atlas Theatre today. Entitled "Princess O'Rourke," the new Warner Bros. attraction promises something special in the way of light comedy.

The story has to do with a real princess, exiled in New York, who meets up with an American lad named Eddie O'Rourke. She sees him on the sly, they fall in love, and Eddie, not knowing she is a princess, proposes marriage. Her guardian uncle gets wise to the affair, and, surprisingly, sanctions the marriage.

The fun really gets furious when Eddie discovers that his girl friend is a royal princess and that he has been approved as the prince consort.

Cole Porter Tunes In 'Let's Face It'

In transferring to the screen the musical play by Dorothy Fields, Herbert Fields and Cole Porter, "Let's Face It," Paramount has retained two of the original Cole Porter tunes—"Let's Face It" and "Let's Not Talk About Love."

An additional song, written by Sammy Cahn and July Styne, called "Who Did I Did? Yes, I Did!" and sung by co-stars Bob Hope and Betty Hutton, further enlivens proceedings.

The Paramount picture version of the stage hit comes today to the Cadet Theatre.

'Lady of Burlesque' Backstage Drama

Although Barbara Stanwyck, star of Hunt Strömberg's first independently produced picture, "Lady of Burlesque," which is coming to the Rio Theatre today through United Artists release, has been "tops" with screen fans for a good number of years, some of the featured members of the cast are making their initial

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screen bow in it. And, according to their own accounts they made their debut in a manner that might discourage much harder troupers.

Michael O'Shea, for instance, who plays the comic lead opposite Miss Stanwyck, is a veteran of the radio and the stage, but he knew nothing about pictures. Until he played his first scene with his lovely vis-a-vis he had the illusion that screen actors generally pulled their punches. However, when Miss Stanwyck treated him to a powerful slap right on the jaw, he really "tagged." Which was exactly the effect the producer wanted.

'The Little Foxes' Outstanding Drama

Telling the dramatic story of a little woman who stoops to virtual murder, as well as blackmail, in her frantic struggle for riches, "The Little Foxes" presents an arresting theme to filmgoers. Bette Davis is starred in the Samuel Goldwyn production, adapted from Lillian Hellman's stage success and is now at the York Theatre.

Regina's brothers plan the erection of a big cotton-mill, but they need the financial help of Horace Giddens, her husband, played by Herbert Marshall. He refuses it, to Regina's fury. The brothers steal the needed funds, thus eliminating their sister as a partner. But the theft is discovered, and when Horace prevents the vengeful wife from blackmailing her relatives, Regina deliberately brings about Horace's death so she can go ahead with her scheme unhindered. Not until it is too late does Regina begin to realize what she has lost in her mad fight, and the realization affords the picture its striking climax.

DOMINION THEATRE
Twentieth Century-Fox's inspiring film version of "Happy Land," MacKinlay Kantor's great American story of the joys and sorrows, defeats and triumphs, and valiant courage of every-day

Americans is currently at the Dominion Theatre.
Don Ameche, Frances Dee, Harry Carey and Ann Rutherford head the featured cast, which also includes Cara Williams, Richard Crane, Henry

Morga, Minor Watson and Dickie Moore.
"Happy Land" was directed by Irving Pichel and produced by Kenneth Macgowan, Kathryn Scola and Julien Josephson wrote the screen play.

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W. C. Kersey Elected
William C. Kersey, fruitgrower in Saanich for 20 years, this afternoon was elected Ward Six councillor by acclamation, succeeding the late Councillor Lawrence Christopher Hagan.
Mr. Kersey, who is manager-secretary of the Vancouver Island Co-operative Fruit Exchange Board of Trade, announced his policy would be secession of Ward Six from the municipal corporation to unorganized territory.
Swearing in of Mr. Kersey will probably take place at the Saanich Council meeting Tuesday night.

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By IRIS SMALLWOOD
Victoria will "Meet the Navy" in truth tonight when 135 members of the Dominion-touring Navy Show play at the Royal Victoria Theatre in a program of melody and merrymaking.

Borne from Vancouver in a special frigate, the entire cast, including chorus-girls, orchestra members, technicians and stagehands, arrived in Esquimalt harbor at 3:30 Sunday afternoon. Almost immediately they settled themselves comfortably for their six-day stay, most of the Wrens going to Balmoral Centre, and seamen to Prince Robert House, and a few scattered in various hotels.

Wren Mollie McCallum of Victoria, who joined up in October, 1942, to take a wireless course at Toronto and subsequently worked in the operational intelligence department at Ottawa, is one of the latest recruits to the Navy Show. She is busy rehearsing now, and expects to be on the stage shortly.

LIKE THE LIFE
At Balmoral Centre this morning a trio of Wrens slipped coffee between plans for bicycle-riding and sightseeing. Asked if they were getting tired of the show, which has been on the road since its first performance in Toronto last September, one of them enthusiastically voiced the opinion of all.

"Tired of it? Never! If we ever had the chance to leave, we wouldn't. It's fun." Dark-haired and bright, Wren Myra McNeil was a dancing teacher in Montreal before changing ballet-dress for the trim Wren uniform. Wren Barbara Sawers and Jane Hackshaw were "white-collar girls" in the same city.

Two other members of the cast joined them. Wren Audrey Edwards and Wren Ora Griffin, the latter hair-dresser for the girls, and, judging by the attractive coiffures, a very successful one.

FIRST TRIP WEST
It was the first trip west for all three. As is customary with easterners, they expressed delighted surprise with Vancouver and Victoria, "especially after the snow in Calgary."

Brachet, Gilbert Share Early Lead In Empress Golf

With brilliant sunshine providing perfect playing conditions, a record field of 291 teed off today in the 16th annual Empress winter golf tournament. The entry included 213 men and 78 women, of which number 207 were from various parts of the Pacific Northwest and prairie provinces. Owing to the large entry it was necessary to use two courses, Oak Bay being the host club with Uplands assisting. Women will play at the Uplands for the first three days, moving back to Oak Bay to finish their tournament.

Ernie Brachet, Victoria, and Warren J. Gilbert, Mount Vernon, Wash., shared the lead in the 18-hole qualifying round of the men's handicap championship play to 1.30 with net scores of 68. Brachet had net in 39 and 68 in 35 for a gross 74, while Gilbert had 39-41-80.

Bill Forst and George Norgan, both of Vancouver, were third with net 71's, while L. B. Walker, Victoria, L. Ronald, Vancouver, F. M. Buhrman, Anacortes, and Dr. V. E. Fowler, Astoria, last year's runner-up, each posted scores of 72.

Both the men's and women's handicap championships are being defended by Harry Givan and Mrs. J. C. Baldwin, both well-known Seattle golfers.

Givan is also defending the men's open crown and is out this year to repeat his twin triumph. Match play will open tomorrow and continue through to the handicap finals Saturday, the men's final being over 36 holes and the women's 18. The 18-final men's open will take place Friday afternoon.

Scores follow:
Other qualifying round net scores today follow: Robert McEwan, Vancouver, 73; Dr. M. Stewart, Vancouver, 73; C. J. Robertson, Victoria, 73; W. C. Tierce, Seattle, 73; R. W. C. Hopkins, Vancouver, 74; Wallace McMillan, Victoria, 74; S. A. Haynes, Victoria, 75; A. J. Simpson, Victoria, 76; G. N. Nasmyth, Vancouver, 76; F. J. Gleason, Seattle, 77; W. Leach, Victoria, 77; J. L. Shaw, Portland, 78; F. Trigg, Winnipeg, 79; Dr. G. L. Williams, Edmonton, 81; J. L. Hughes, Tacoma, 81; Al Richards, Vancouver, 83; and Dr. H. E. Carruth, Portland, 86.

Dog Barks, Woman Wades In, Saves Boy

St. Joseph's Hospital authorities this afternoon at 2 described the condition of a two-year-old son of an army private as fairly good. The child was rescued from the sea at Sooke this morning.

Full details of the rescue, including the child's first name, were not available yet, but it was learned the boy's last name was Mitchell and his father was attached to an eastern Canadian regiment.

It is believed the boy, who was playing with his dog, descended a bank at Sooke and was playing on the rocks when he fell into three feet of water.

The dog, by barking on the bank, led rescuers to the scene. They found the boy unconscious, floating face up in the water.

Mrs. Olive Forrest rushed into the water and brought the boy to shore. With the aid of F. G. Gray of the Sooke Harbor Fishing and Packing Co. Ltd., three soldiers and an army doctor, the boy was revived and rushed by Constable Quinn to St. Joseph's Hospital.

This afternoon the boy was still unconscious.

B.C. Police stationed in Victoria rushed to the scene with a Victoria Fire Department pullmotor but the boy was revived before the machine arrived.

2 Tons of Stamps Issued Daily, Says A. S. Deaville

Two tons of stamps are sent out from Ottawa daily to distributing centres for sale in Canada, says A. Stanley Deaville, former Victorian and superintendent of the postage stamp division, federal post office, who is in the city today after an absence of 15 years.

Member of the well-known Deaville family of Victoria, Mr. Deaville, for 20 years in the post office here, left the city in January, 1929, for Ottawa. He is now in charge of the issuance of all postage stamps, unemployment insurance stamps, war savings stamps and postal notes.

Total value of the various stamp issues annually is \$140,000,000 and this year, he says, it will probably reach \$150,000,000. Stamp collectors are widely interested in the work of the stamp division.

Thursday, Mr. Deaville will speak here before the Vancouver Island Philatelic Society.

He is the author of a book published in 1928 on the early postal history of British Columbia. The book, dealing exhaustively with postal activities in this province from the beginning of Hudson's Bay Co. penetration and pioneer gold mining express, with extensive space devoted to early stamps of Vancouver Island and B.C., was reviewed by the late Ben Nicholas, former editor of the Victoria Times.

WRITES NEW BOOK
Mr. Deaville, who is a member of the Royal Philatelic Society of London, is at present writing a book on the postal history of the Dominion of Canada from 1851 onwards. This work he does not expect to be published until after the war.

Since his arrival here at the week-end, Mr. Deaville has been reviving old associations and meeting his many friends of former days. He was delighted, he said, to find the city so busy and prosperous.

Referring to the war congestion at Ottawa, a city of about 150,000 population, he said the federal capital had absorbed some 35,000 additional people within the last two years.

His wife, Mrs. Isabel Deaville, who accompanies him, is voluntary assistant to Mrs. Donald Gordon, wife of the head of the War Prices Board, in charge of a large cafe, which feeds the army of temporary civil servants in Ottawa. The profits of this organization are turned over to the Canadian Red Cross for the operation of mobile blood donor units.

Mr. Deaville's arrival precipitated a family reunion. He has two brothers here, George and Clarence, and two sisters, Mrs. Edward Parsons, wife of the organist of Metropolitan Church, and Mrs. Fred (Bertha) Parsons, school trustee.

Ex-Governor's Wife, Mrs. Paterson, Dies

Mrs. Emma Elizabeth Paterson widow of the late Hon. T. W. Paterson, a former Lieutenant-Governor of British Columbia, died at her home in Uplands today.

Mrs. Paterson was born in St. Catharies, Ont., and came to Victoria more than 60 years ago.

The late T. W. Paterson was in office as Lieutenant-Governor from 1909 until 1914, and died in 1921.

There is one adopted son, Gordon Paterson living in Victoria, and a nephew, A. D. Paterson of Ladner.

Mrs. Paterson had not been active for the past 16 years but prior to that she took a great interest in the welfare of the community.

Hayward's B.C. Funeral Co. are in charge of arrangements.

Panel Named For Broadcast

Discussion panel members for the CBC's "Of Things to Come" broadcast from Victoria were announced today by Dr. G. M. Shrum of the University of B.C. as follows: Sir Robert Holland, Darshan Singh and Miss Chang. Subject will be "The Rise of Asia."

The broadcast, to be carried from coast to coast, will be staged in the Empress Hotel ballroom at 8 p.m. next Monday under Morley Callaghan as moderator.

Admission to the broadcast will be by ticket as an audience of less than 500 can be accommodated, it was announced today by Kenneth Drury, University Extension president. Tickets for members of the Parent-Teacher Associations will be allocated by Mrs. Harold Beckwith, head of the radio committee.

Annual meeting of the Victoria Hard of Hearing Club will be held at 1416 Douglas Street, Wednesday at 8.15.

With Our Servicemen

By DICK FREEMAN



LAC. Art Robertson and LAW. Phyllis Robertson, son and daughter of Mr. and Mrs. A. D. Robertson, 3132 Harriett, both serving in the R.C.A.F. . . Art, 19, was a star footballer at school and also played football for K.V.'s C section champions last summer. He joined the air force last September after completing his schooling at Mount View High. Home last month on leave, Art has been posted to Dafoe, Sask., for pilot training. . . Phyllis, 21, formerly employed at McLean's Bakery, enlisted in the R.C.A.F. (W.D.) a year ago. At present home on leave she will leave Tuesday for Macleod, Alta., where she is employed in the R.C.A.F. bakery.

Taken Prisoner



recently, went the honor of representing Canada in a photographic sitting taken at R.C. House in London for exhibition in New York. While on leave in the British capital he was selected as the type most representative of Canada. Men of all the Allied forces were photographed for the exhibition. Spark, well known in basketball circles, was born here 26 years ago, was educated at Tillicum School and Mount View High and was employed by David Spencer Ltd. before enlistment.

Sgt. Pilot M. W. Howden, who suffered an accident overseas and returned to Canada aboard the hospital ship Lady Nelson, is expected to arrive home shortly, according to word received by his wife, who lives with her mother, Mrs. G. Brady, 51 Moss. He is at present in R.C.A.F. hospital at Ottawa.

Alan Cormack, 1227 Rockland, has been advised that his son, **FO. Alastair Cormack, R.C.A.F.**, was previously reported missing on flight operations overseas, is a prisoner of war in Germany. Alastair has been with the R.C.A.F. Bomber Command since May, 1943.

cent practice had been to follow a ruling suggested by the Attorney-General's office whereby property with a yearly potential income not exceeding \$365 at 5 per cent would not bar an applicant from pension benefits.

Old Age Pension Costs Doubled If Age Dropped to 65

Reduction of the old age pension eligibility age from the present 70 years to 65 would, provided the same percentage applied, virtually double costs of the scheme, J. H. Creighton, chairman of the Old Age Pension Board, told the Legislature's social welfare committee today.

If the age were further reduced to 60, costs would be over three times as high, he showed.

Of the total, the province pays roughly one-fourth and meets all the cost of living bonus of \$5 a month now paid pensioners.

Asked directly the costs, Mr. Creighton said the number of B.C. residents over 65 at the 1941 census was 68,072. If the same percentage, 38.79, sought the pension as are now receiving it, there would be 26,405 pensioners instead of the present 15,000.

Costs, without the bonus, would be \$7,921,500, or, with the bonus, \$9,505,800.

At present slightly more than \$4,000,000 is spent, he said.

If the age were reduced to 60 for women and 65 for men, costs, on the basis of the same percentage applying, would be \$9,936,000 without the bonus and \$11,923,000 with the bonus.

On the same basis, the amounts would be \$12,859,200 without the bonus and \$15,431,040 with the bonus, if the age were cut to 60 years for both.

SCRATCHING SURFACE

Mr. Creighton indicated the old age pension administration had just begun its work. In addition to the care of the aged from a physical point of view, they required assistance in social and cultural fields, he said.

"The field is a huge one. We're just scratching the surface," he said, stating there was an urgent need for trained social workers to proceed with the advanced social service approach now brought to play in administration of old age pension work.

He discussed arrangements for contributions from sons and daughters for pensioner parents, listing the income schedules established and stating provision was made to relax them when children faced special circumstances including need from sickness.

Since October, he said, pensions have been given even if children did not contribute.

In reply to question by Mrs. Nancy Hodges, he said the federal government was contemplating legislation which would permit pensioners to earn more than now allowed without deductions from their pensions.

Mr. Creighton also stated re-

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Announcements

BIRTHS
COLMER—To Mr. and Mrs. E. J. Colmer, R.C.N.V.R. (now hotel), Victoria, 250 Howe St., at St. Joseph's Hospital, March 3, a daughter.

WEDDINGS
EVANS-JOHN—Mr. and Mrs. T. C. Johns, 1185 Yates St., announce the marriage of their daughter, Barbara Grace (double), to Mr. Hugh Evans, son of Mr. and Mrs. P. R. Evans, 1901 Fort Street, and the late Mrs. Evans, which took place on Saturday evening in First Baptist Church, Rev. O. A. Reynolds officiating.

PORTER-PETCH—Mr. J. W. Petch, Richard Street, announces the marriage of his daughter, Elsie, to Mr. J. W. Porter, R.C.N.V.R., eldest son of Mr. and Mrs. E. J. Porter, 1901 Fort Street, which took place in St. Philip's Church, Vancouver, on Saturday evening, March 8, Rev. Mr. Greig officiating.

BRITT-FRYATT—Gertrude Elsie Fryatt, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. A. P. Fryatt of Bowdoin Avenue, and LAC. Victor Lawson Britt, R.C.N.V.R., son of Mr. and Mrs. A. Britt, 2507 Irving St., were united in marriage on Saturday, March 8, 1942, at 8:30 p.m. in the Garden City United Church, Rev. Wm. Allan officiating, assisted by Rev. J. Currie Thompson.

LAMB-TAYLOR—Gertrude Beatrice, third daughter of Mr. and Mrs. R. Lamb, 301 Old Ave., became the bride of Clarence Alfred Lamb, C.P.O., R.C.N.V.R., son of Mr. and Mrs. P. R. Lamb, 301 Old Ave., March 4, 1942, at 8 p.m. in St. Martin's-in-the-Field when Rev. H. Sanderson performed the marriage ceremony.

DEATHS
BROWN—There passed away suddenly at his home, 1844, Cecil Roy Randall, 75 years. He was born in England and resided in Victoria for many years. He leaves in sorrow three daughters, Agnes Mary and Marjorie Isabel, at home and Mrs. A. C. Sinclair, Victoria, also one daughter, Jean Louise Sinclair, Victoria.

FUNERAL SERVICES from the Thompson Funeral Home on Wednesday afternoon at 2:30 p.m. Rev. N. E. Smith officiating. Interment in the family plot at Ross Bay Cemetery.

CRANE—At St. Joseph's Hospital on March 4, 1942, William Howard P. Crane of 2025 St. George St., Seattle, aged 48 years; born in Toronto, Ontario, and a resident of Victoria for 10 years. He leaves in sorrow three daughters, John H. Crane, Victoria, and two sons, John H. Crane, Victoria, and one son, John H. Crane, Victoria.

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